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Shatin Dep.	7.59	8.42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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## OUR SCOTTISH AIR-MAIL LETTER

Col. G. A. Malcolm's Will: Queen Marie Of Rumania In Scotland: Sir W. Crawford And The Advertising Exhibition: Mr. D. G. Dunn's Huge Estate: Memorial To Lord Incheape Unveiled

(Special Air-Mail Service)

Colonel Who First Led the London Scottish Into Action.

Edinburgh, July 25. Colonel George Alexander Malcolm, who first led the London Scottish into action during the war, has left £180,790.

He was senior partner of W. F. Malcolm and Co., flax, hemp and jute merchants, of Leadenhall-street, E.C., and lived at highdale, Warren Cottage, Coombe Hill, Kingston, Surrey.

### Royal Caledonian Funds.

Captain Stanley, the organising secretary of the Royal Caledonian Ball, tells me that out of the proceeds of the function last month it has been possible to send donations of £200 each to the two great Scottish charities in London—the Royal Scottish Corporation and the Royal Caledonian Schools, Bushey. In addition, a sum of £200 has been added to the reserve fund. This result is not only a reflection of the appeal of this annual social event, which ranks in brilliance next to the royal Courts, but is a tribute to the way in which Scottish people during difficult times have rallied to the cause of charity. No fewer than 1996 people attended the ball, and according to Captain Stanley, the majority of them remained till the finish.

Queen Marie of Rumania in Edinburgh.

As a daughter of the Duke of Edinburgh and a granddaughter of Queen Victoria, Queen Marie of Rumania was welcomed by the Corporation of Edinburgh as their guest at luncheon yesterday. Lord Provost W. J. Thomson proposed the health of the Queen.

In reply Queen Marie said: "I am at a very late period of my life that for the first time I come here. It was not my desire that prevented me, but I left my own country at a very early age to live for another country which I tried to help with all my strength, remembering that I was Queen Victoria's granddaughter."

"That is, of course, a name-one carries with great joy into the world, and my new country received me also with great joy because my grandmother sat on the throne of England, Scotland, and Ireland, and of course for me it was a very great help, to remember what a wonderful example she was. I am sure my father if he was still here would be happy to think that I, his daughter, had at least come to visit this beautiful town and this country so full of romance."

### A Scot and Advertising.

It is largely to a Scotman that the remarkable success of the Advertising and Marketing Exhibition at Olympia must be attributed. The moving spirit behind the event which has proved such a popular attraction during the past week is Sir William Crawford, the son of a former Glasgow bairn, and one of the leading figures in the advertising profession in London. For many years Sir William has been associated with important propaganda work on behalf of various Government Departments, and he is the vice-chairman of the Empire Marketing Board and Post Office Publicity Committees, and also of the E.M.B. Film and Marketing Committees. The type of Scot who throws his whole energies into whatever cause he takes up, he fully earned the congratulations showered upon him for the success of the Olympia exhibition.

### Scot Leaves Over a Million.

Unsettled estate valued at £1,223,793 was left by Mr. David Guthrie Dunn, of Knock Castle, Larps, Ayrshire, the well-known yachtsman and speed boat owner.

who was lost at sea from his yacht Southern Cross between Cape Town and St. Helena last March.

Mr. Dunn, who was 38 years of age, had large interests in the Imperial Tobacco Company Ltd., valued at £416,000 and in the Burmah Oil Company, Ltd., at £287,300. Probate of his will has been granted in favour of Mrs. Agnes Thomson Laidlaw or Stevens and Mr. Thomas Stark Brown and Mr. Ralph Stark Brown, writers, of St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

### Memorial to Lord Incheape.

A widow's tribute to the memory of her husband was expressed in the beautiful little church of Glenapp, Ayrshire, on Saturday when stained-glass windows and church fittings were dedicated by the Very Rev. Charles L. Warr, Dean of the Thistle, to the memory of the Earl of Incheape, who is buried near by.

The whole memorial scheme was suggested by Jean Countess of Incheape, who provided for it. The memorial windows, the first of their kind in Scotland, unveiled two years ago to the memory of the Hon. Elsie Mackay, daughter of Lord Incheape, who lost her life during an attempt to fly the Atlantic.

### Finest in Country.

The design of the west-end window is based on the storm in the Sea of Galilee, and depicts Christ standing in the boat with His disciples.

The new south-west window recalls the introduction of Christianity

## IN HONG KONG TO-DAY

### FAIR TO SHOWERY.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY, AT 4.45 P.M., STATED:—

PRESSURE CONTINUES TO BE LOW OVER CHINA GENERALLY WITH A DEPRESSION SITUATED OVER TONGKING.

LOCAL FORECAST.—S. WINDS MODERATE; FAIR TO SHOWERY.

Galloway—portraying the landing of St. Ninian at the Isle of Whithorn and the little church of Candida Casa, with a father and mother bringing their baby to the saint to be blessed or baptised.

The memorial windows, in addition to other handsome church fittings, make Glenapp Church one of the finest in the country.

### Distinguished Company.

The unveiling ceremony on Saturday was performed by the Earl of Incheape, who was accompanied by the Countess of Incheape. Among others who attended were Lady Patricia Mackay, Lady Margaret and the Hon. Alexander Shaw, Miss Jean Shaw, Lady Janet and Colonel Bailey and Mr. Douglas Macdonald and Miss Jean Bailey. Mr. Ian Hooper, Earl and Countess of Stair, Captain and Mrs. D. Hamilton, Mrs. M'Ewan, Baroness Mitchell and Colonel Fleming, Dalroch; Captain and Mrs. Hughes-Onslow, Balgaskoc; Mrs. Kerr, Ballinacorney; Dr. John Macdonald, Edinburgh; Dr. Douglas Strachan, Edinburgh; and a number of other distinguished persons.

## THE CUBAN CRISIS

### MANY ACTS OF VENGEANCE REPORTED

Havana, Aug. 15. TWELVE more members of the secret police were killed on Sunday, and numerous acts of vengeance are reported from all parts of Cuba.

Firm measures are being taken to restore order, however, and the island is rapidly returning to normal.

There has been a general resumption of commercial activities, except for the storekeepers, who are still on strike. The military edicts bans all demonstrations and parades and also the carrying of arms.

It is expected that the new regime will foster a closer contact with the United States. The Cubans are optimistic for the future and are counting upon a new deal from the United States regarding duties and debts.

American Marines have landed from the two destroyers at present in Havana harbour.—Reuter.

### Cruiser From Panama

Washington, Aug. 15. The United States Navy Department yesterday ordered the cruiser "Richmond" to proceed from Panama to Manzanillo, Cuba. Two destroyers were ordered to Havana, and one to Manzanillo, on Sunday.—Reuter.

## DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

### TO-DAY

(August 16)

(VI. Moon, 25th Day)

Sale of Leasehold Property, China Auction Rooms, 3 p.m.  
Sale of Crown Lands, District Office, Tai Po, 11.30 a.m.  
Whist Drive at Sailors' Home and Seamen's Institute, Gloucester Road, 9 p.m.

Official Opening of Hong Kong Brewery, Kowloon.  
Union Church Women's Guild Meeting, 10 a.m.  
Concert Music, Roof Garden, Peninsula Hotel.  
Billiards Final, South Wales Borderers Competition, Soldiers Club, Queen's Road, 8.30 p.m.

### Theatres.

Queen's: "Smilin' Through."  
Central: "Out All Night."  
King's: "Down to Earth."  
Oriental: "Annabelle's Affairs."  
Majestic: "Penalty of Fame."  
Star: "In a Monastery Garden."  
World: "Unshamed."

### Dances.

Tea Dances at King's Restaurant, Hong Kong and Repulse Bay Hotels; Gloucester Building; and Majestic Dancing Academy.  
Dinner Dances at King's Restaurant; Hong Kong and Repulse Bay Hotels; and Gloucester Building.

### Sports.

Lawn Bowls.—Spey Cup Competition, Club de Recreo v. Kowloon Docks (Kowloon C.C. green), 4.40 p.m.

### Principal Mails

Outward for America by Tatsuta Maru, 8.30 p.m.  
Sunrise.—6.00 a.m.; Sunset.—5.54 p.m.  
Tides.—High at 4.50; Low at 12.15.

Edinburgh, and others.

### A Commanding Personality.

In his dedicatory remarks the Very Rev. Charles L. Warr said that Lord Incheape was one of the most commanding personalities of his generation and the embodiment of the traditional Scottish character in all its rugged vigour, its shrewd sagacity, its vitality in work, its dogged purposefulness, and its directness of mind.

Dr. Warr was assisted by the Rev. Ewen MacGregor, B.D., minister of Glenapp.  
The church was filled with friends, neighbours, and representatives of the tenantry from Lord Incheape's estate.

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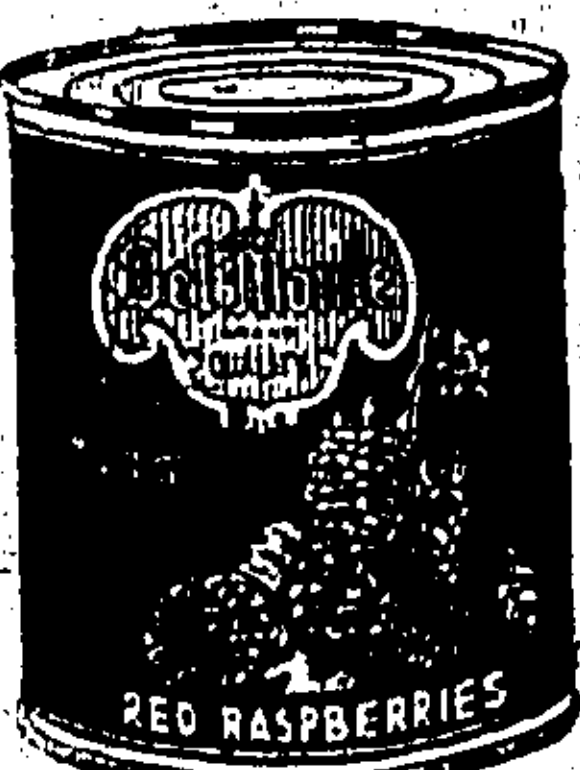
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## THE NEW RULER OF MANCHUKUO

A TOKYO PEN-PORTRAIT

ROBUST AND GAY PERSONALITY

Tokyo, (By Mail).—The Mikado's new ambassador to Manchukuo— and that means the proconsul, the protector, the actual head man of the nominally independent new nation in Manchuria—has taken to his post in Changchun a robust, and hearty, easily laughing nature in striking contrast to the silent authority of his predecessor.

Field Marshal Baron Nobuyoshi Muto died at Changchun, capital of the new state, late in July and even before his passing was officially announced the moguls of the army in Tokyo, without troubling to convoke the cabinet for the decision, selected General Takachi Hishikari to succeed him in the empire's most important office outside the confines of Japan Proper.

Muto Was Silent.

Marshal Muto, Japan's first ambassador to the new "nation" in Manchuria, the man who signed and put into effect the Changchun protocol by which the Japanese army assumed responsibility for the internal and external protection of Manchukuo, was small, slight, speaking little and that little softly, living with a Spartan simplicity. Beneath this deceptive exterior was hidden a will of steel and the soul of a burning patriot.

General Hishikari is the tallest man in the list of full generals of the Japanese army. He is loose jointed, smiles and laughs frequently, like a hearty joke. And he enjoys the revealing nickname of "General Dancing With Joy Like a Sparrow."

This name was given him by his associates when in 1928 he received his first important colonial command, that of the Japanese garrison in Formosa. So delighted was the big soldier that in replying to a friend's message of congratulation he wrote, borrowing a familiar phrase from the Chinese classics: "I shall go to Formosa dancing with joy like a sparrow."

Wields Great Power.

When he was appointed to his new post an interviewer asked him if he would live up to his nickname in Changchun. "Manchuria is far bigger than Formosa," he replied. "A sparrow-general would not do there. A phoenix or a flying dragon will be more appropriate in Manchuria."

Therein lies warning for the foes of the Changchun regime and Japan's domination thereover who may be tempted to take the new proconsul's easy-going exterior at face value.

The post in Manchuria, which Muto held only eleven months, is unique in its all-embracing powers and its control over the destinies

of an alien land and people. Alongside the shadowy sovereignty of Henry Fuyi, real substance of power is that of the Mikado's general, actual ruler over the 35,000,000 inhabitants of Manchuria.

Triple Office.

His is a three-in-one office. Commander-in-chief of the Japanese army in Manchuria, a highly trained, veteran force of over 50,000 men, one of the most formidable instruments of imperial expansion in the world; governor-general of the Kwantung leased territory, and small area containing Dairen and Port Arthur which served as the base for Japanese conquest of Manchuria; the Japanese emperor's "Own Full-Power Ambassador" to Manchukuo and by that token the channel for Tokyo's "advice" to the new nation.

General Hishikari is the senior general of the Japanese army and for the last three years has been a member of the Supreme War Council, from which comparative obscurity and semi-retirement has the ruling clique of the army recalled him for the brilliant Changchun assignment.

He had been so little in touch with the ruling powers that news of his appointment reached him first when he was listening to a radio news broadcast in his Tokyo home.

Long Career.

General Hishikari is in his sixty-second year but the only evidence of approaching age in his appearance is the white thickly sprinkled through his close clipped hair, sparse mustache and short, stubby, untidy beard. He was born in November, 1871, in Kagoshima prefecture, home of the Satsuma clan, Japan's most famous fighting race.

His father was a samurai; he was the third son. His military career began before his twenties, and he was graduated from the army cadet school in 1894.

Advancement was steady if unspectacular, and it was not until 1923, when he was assigned to command the defense force in Formosa, that he began to stand out among the senior officers of the army. From Formosa in 1930 he was shifted to the command of the garrison of the Kwantung leased territory, so Manchuria and its problems are not new to him.

It was his successor in the Kwantung command, General Shigeru Honjo, who on September 18, 1931, with the outbreak of fighting at Mukden, began the conquest of Manchuria. The conquest was completed under Marshal Muto. The new protector of Manchuria's job is fundamentally one of consolidation.

## JAPAN OIL MARKET THREATENED

SOVIET PRODUCTS MAY  
CREATE CHAOTIC SITUATION

Tokyo, Aug. 9. With the arrival of 11,000 tons of Soviet oil from the Baku oil fields a few days ago, Japan's oil market is threatened with chaos, it was reported today. The sales agreement in Japan between the Rising Sun Petroleum Co., the Standard Oil Co. of New York, the Vacuum Oil Co., the Nippon Petroleum Co., the Ogura Petroleum Co., and the Mitsubishi Oil Co., expired last June and was extended till the end of July. Although negotiations were begun among them for a new agreement, no definite plan has resulted.

In order to avoid the chaotic situation after the arrival of the Soviet oil, which was brought to Japan through a contract made by Mr. Kojima Matsukata, former president of the Kawasaki Dockyard Co., and is to be marketed at end of August, the Ministry of Commerce and Industry today suggested a new agreement between the six companies, based on the previous agreement.

It is said that the commerce and industry office is ready to control the oil market by reducing the quantity of imported oil in case foreign concerns should oppose the suggestion. —United Press.

The American mind is more suitable than any other, as an object of propaganda, political or otherwise. The conviction that nothing is ever finished, that everything is changing, developing, increasing, is one with which every American is deeply imbued. It opens his ears and eyes to whatever is aiming at his consent or his cooperation. —Dr. Stern Barth.

## KANSAS STATE TREASURY SCANDAL

BONDS REMOVED: FORGED  
PAPERS SUBSTITUTED.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 9.—Kansas State troops marched into the office of the State Treasurer, Mr. T. B. Boyd, today and took possession of the department following the discovery that bonds valued at \$100,000 had been removed and cleverly-executed forged documents put in their place.

The action of the Governor, Mr. Alfred Landon, in taking over the office was said to have been followed immediately by a confession from Mr. Boyd, who is stated to have said that he had permitted a "personal friend," Mr. Ronald Finney, to remove the bonds and deposit the substitutes. The latter was immediately arrested and charged with forgery.

It was asserted at the Governor's office that charges would be placed against the State Treasurer and that he would also be impeached.

The charges against the two men created the greatest political sensation since 1923 when the then Governor, Mr. J. C. Walton, was impeached because of his dealings with state money. —United Press.

A little boy surprised his parents by refusing to be scared into being good.

"It's no use telling me the angle will write down in their books if I'm naughty, mamma," he said. "I might as well tell you they think up in heaven that I'm dead."

"But why should they think that?"

"Because I haven't said my prayers for two weeks."

## MANAGED CURRENCIES

SIR J. STAMP ON PROBLEM  
OF EXCHANGES

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, July 25.—Three sessions of the fourth International Congress on Accounting were held yesterday at Grosvenor House, Park Lane.

Speaking on the problems of international finance, Sir Josiah Stamp said the most urgent was the method of restoring some provisional fixed parities between the different currencies of the world.

People dealing with the theoretic aspects of international finance had been expressing increasing doubts whether a gold standard which depended for its success either on a very large measure of laissez faire or upon elaborate and well understood management was likely to succeed in a world where the former was increasingly discounted and the technique of international management stood little chance of being elaborated owing to the renewed consolidation of the world in self-centred economic units.

Many of the theorists reached the conclusion that a domestic currency completely managed for internal use and suitable price levels should be run as a scheme independent of an international unit based, not on politician's views, but upon a physical constant or so-called constant, but that this duality did not after the fact that a varying range of exchange would always be required by each domestic currency into that unit, and therefore, for the purposes of calculations for foreign trade the situation would really be the same as the present one, at one remove.

Stability of sterling was not merely a question of the great proportion of British foreign trade. The article, stability itself, had been one of our invisible exports, and however satisfactory it might devise a currency for world foreign trade, it had not this time we should lose much of the balance which depended upon it.

The complications of the international money situation immediately before us depended not upon two variables but upon three. The first was the relation of the dollar to commodities. The second was that between the dollar and foreign currencies, especially sterling. The third was that between gold and commodities. Although its price was now very steady, it had been moving of late years seriously. If we knew the relation between the dollar and commodities and gold and commodities, we could deduce the relation between gold and the dollar and know how much devaluation of the dollar in a return to the gold standard was desired. If we knew the relation between sterling and commodities and gold and commodities, we knew how much to devalue sterling in a return to the gold standard. The results would give automatically the par rate of sterling dollar exchange.

Professor T. E. Gregory (Cassel Professor of Banking, London University) said that the fundamental need today was the certain of machinery by which past debts could be liquidated without intolerable delays and without an intolerable sense of unfairness remaining.

## JAPAN MAY CLAIM ISLANDS

NAVY MINISTRY REFUSAL  
TO COMMENT

Tokyo, Aug. 10. The Navy Office today refused to comment regarding the report that the Foreign Office may advocate Japan's occupation of about twenty small islands in South China Sea other than those occupied by France.

According to information collected by the Foreign Office, Messrs. S. Ikeda and S. Komatsu, Japanese traders, found five islands in the South China Sea between May and September, 1918. Mr. Eikichi Saito and three other businessmen found twelve deserted islands at a point ten degrees north latitude and 114 degrees east longitude in May, 1929, while the Lasa Phosphorus Mine, a Japanese concern, had its mines on three other islands. Those found by Messrs. Ikeda and Komatsu are named Lincoln, North Danger, Flat, Nanahan and Udo Islands.

The Navy Office stated today that neither the Navy or Foreign Office should take individual action concerning the islands but the government, in accordance to its policy, should deal with the matter. —United Press.

A teacher was taking a class in geography, and, addressing a small boy in the back row, he asked: "How, Tommy, would it be possible for you to walk round the earth?"

"No, sir," replied the boy promptly.

"Why not?" asked the teacher.

"Cause I've got a blister on my heel," said Tommy.

## NEW MOTOR COMPANY CO-ORDINATION OF MORRIS EXPORT ACTIVITIES

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London July 25.—Sir William R. Morris, Bt., has formed a new company with a capital of £250,000 to co-ordinate the export activities of Morris Motors, Ltd.; Wolseley Motors (1927), Ltd.; Morris Commercial Cars, Ltd.; and the M.G. Car Company, Ltd.

The new company, which is to be known as Morris Industries Exports, Ltd., will absorb and take control of the various subsidiary overseas companies that have already been created. It is expected that the centralisation brought about by this new move will effect considerable economies, thus enabling foreign competition to be met still more successfully.

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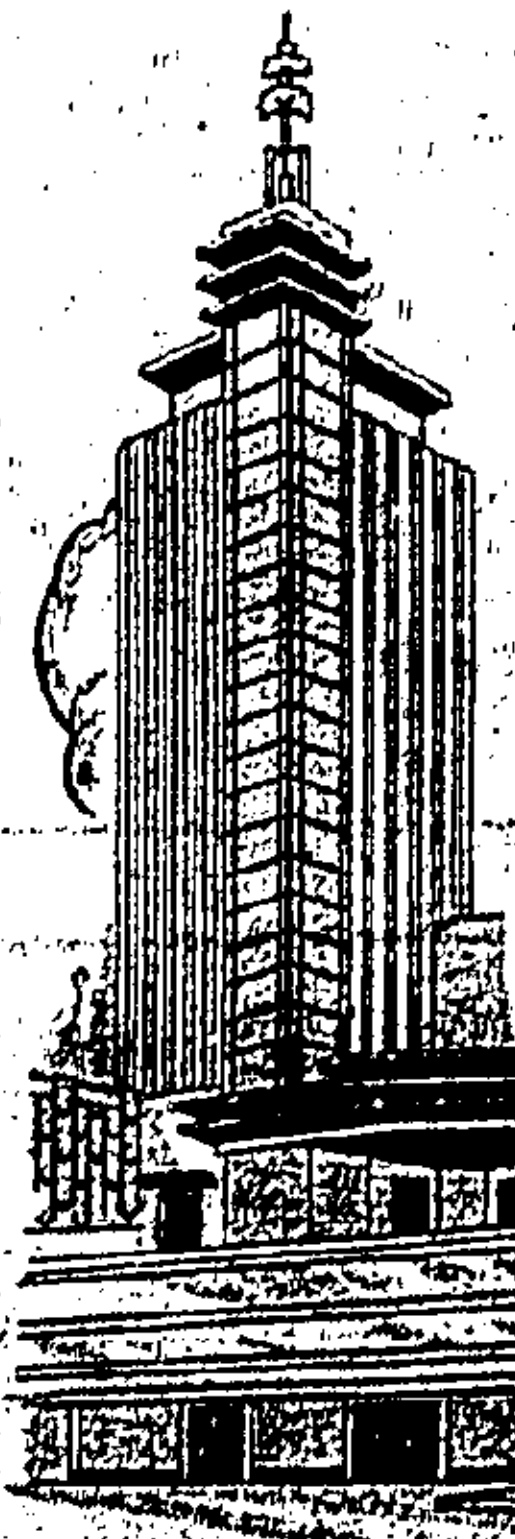
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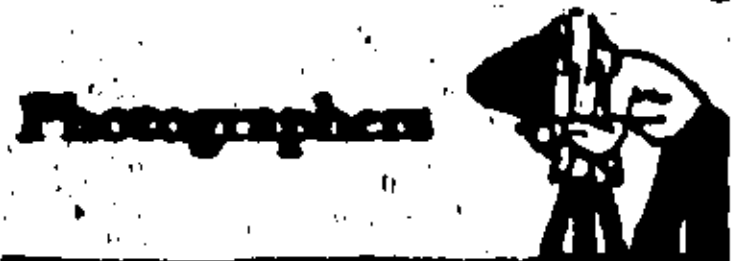


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11.11.30 a.m.—Stock and Exchange quotations, selected London and New York stock quotations, weather report, etc.  
11.30 a.m.—Chinese recorded programme.  
12.00 p.m.—European programme of Victor and Brunswick records.  
1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

1.15 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra by courtesy of the Management (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).  
2.15 p.m.—Close Down.  
Pianoforte Recital from the Studio Relay from Davenry to-night.  
4.30-7 a.m.—Chinese programme.  
6-6.15 p.m.—Children's Concert from the Studio.  
7-10.30 p.m.—European programme.

7-7.35 p.m.—Musical Comedy. Vocal Duet—Blue Eyes—Do I Do Wrong? Vocal Duet—Blue Eyes—Blue Eyes—Evelyn Laya and Geoffrey Gwyther—9434.  
Selection—He Wanted Adventure—Debroy Somers Band—DX433.  
Chorus—Henri Leoni Memories—Henri Leoni and Quartette—DX471.  
Vocal Gems—Bitter Sweet—Columbia Light Opera Company—9800.  
7.35-8.10 p.m.—Orchestral.

8 p.m.—(Local Time and Weather Report).  
Mignon—Overture (Thomas)—Milan Symphony Orchestra—9759.  
Pique Dame—Overture (Suppe)—Sir Dan Godfrey conducting the Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra—9496.  
Scenes Pittoresques (Madsenet)—Orchestre Symphonique de Paris—9491/2.

8.10-8.30 p.m.—Concert Items.  
Pianoforte Solo—Three Ecossaises (Chopin, Op. 72)—Adria Dorfmann—DX448.  
Song—My Dearest Heart (Sullivan)—Doris Vane (Soprano)—DX471.  
Violin Solo—Carmen—Fantasia (Bizet-Sarasate)—Yovanovitch Bratra—DX339.  
Song—The Bay of Biscay (Cherry-Davy)—William Hesel-tips (Tenor) DX70.

8.30-8.45 p.m.—Hawaiian Selections.  
King's Serenade.  
That Aloha Waltz—Hawaiian Moana Orchestra—DB89.  
The World is Waiting for the Sunrise—Len Fillis—DB496.  
Maui Girl.  
Maui No La Ka Oi—King Nawai's Hawaiians—DB948.  
8.45-9.30 p.m.—Dance Music.

Fox Trot—Pretending You Care. Waltz—The Whisper Waltz—Rudy Vallee and His Connecticut Yankees—CB533.  
Quick Step—What a Perfect Combination.  
Fox "Trot"—In the Moonlight—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra—CB568.  
Waltz—Dance Pretty Lady.  
Waltz—Come Out Vienna—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra—CB823.  
Quick Step—Wear a Great Big Smile.  
Waltz—All Over Italy—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra—CB830.  
Fox Trot—Keep it to Yourself.  
Fox Trot—Just an Old Chateau—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra—DT615.

Fox Trot—When it's Lamp lightin' Time in the Valley.  
Fox Trot—I Like Mountain Music—The London Piano-Accordeon Band MR955.  
Fox Trot—I'm Sure of Everything But You.  
Waltz—Play Fiddle Play—Ted Lewis and His Band—2723-D.  
9.30-10 p.m.—From the Studio.  
A Pianoforte recital by Mr. Harry Ore.

Programme:  
1. Sonata No. 28 (Beethoven). (a) The Farewell (b) The Absence (c) The Return  
2. Serenade (Borodin)  
3. Meditation (Tchikovsky)  
4. Prelude in G minor (Rachmaninoff)  
10-10.30 p.m.—A relay from Davenry of the Pianoforte Recital by Ernest Lush and the Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra, conducted by Sir Dan Godfrey, relayed from the Pavilion, Bournemouth. Jane Marcus (Violin). Should reception prove satisfactory, this relay will be continued to 11 p.m.

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press News.  
10.35 p.m.—Close Down.  
All records in the above European programmes are supplied by Messrs. The Anderson Music Co.

**BRITISH EMPIRE BROADCAST**  
G.M.T. 5.15 a.m.—Time Signal from Big Ben. Selections from Hiawatha (Gramophone Records).  
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**EXPECTATION OF RESTRICTION OF TRADE TO DUTCH SHIPS**

Tokyo.—A Batavia dispatch received by a certain steamship company here says that the Dutch Government has issued an unofficial instruction that all goods to be imported to the Dutch East Indies should be shipped by Dutch vessels. It also states that the Dutch Government plans to close all open ports in Sumatra except Medan.

To Exclude Japanese Goods.

The Asahi associates this report with the rumours that an agreement has recently been reached in London between the Dutch and British Governments with regard to the exclusion of Japanese goods from their colonies in the Orient. Apparently the *Mainichi* also suspects the existence of British behind the scenes in the reported action by the Dutch Government.

Japanese traders are naturally concerned with the new situation. Particularly alarmed are shipping companies, such as the O.S.K., the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, because if the Dutch Indies Government prohibits the shipping of foreign vessels their line will incur a fatal blow. According to the *Mainichi*, these shipping concerns are inclined to think that, in the event of there being a shortage in Dutch vessels in that case, British vessels will be employed under special charter.

Foreign Office Hopful.

In this connection, the Foreign Office spokesman is quoted by the *Mainichi* as saying:

"No official information has been received as yet. It is true, however, that the Dutch authorities are contemplating, in consideration of the interest of the natives, a restriction of imports. This restriction, if realized, will make high price goods for target, so as to stem the luxurious tendency among the natives. There will not be any serious effect to imports and exports of cheap goods exported by Japan."

may even be an attempt to substitute through the export of substitutes.

6.15 a.m.—Teigans' Programme (Gramophone Records).

7.15 a.m.—News Bulletin.

11-12 p.m.—Transmission on an educational series: 11 a.m. Cinema Organ Recital; 11.45 a.m. Studio Orchestral Concert; 12.30 p.m. Orchestral Concert.

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educated in a London convent  
school. She lived in London until  
last June and still has a flat—all  
furnished and empty—in Chelsea,  
London. She is a bachelor girl,  
and says her career means more to  
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18-19 "Smoke Lightning."  
20-22 "Pleasure Cruise."  
23 "Baroud."  
Queen's Theatre.  
13-17 "Smilin' Through."  
18-23 "To-day We Live."  
Central Theatre.  
13-16 "Out All Night."  
17-19 "A Woman Commands."  
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counts promises to be a picture of  
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excellent one as you all know, but  
in case some of our readers are not  
quite sure we will give it you  
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ting that we tell you something  
about the author who has done so  
much for the theatre and screen, as  
shall give you a short biography of  
his life.

Something About Noel Coward.  
He has been called the wonder  
man, and rightfully so. He writes,  
acts, dances, sings, and although  
only 33 years of age has amazed  
the world. Mr. Arnold Bennett,  
British man of letters has said that  
there are men who can dance and  
others who can write and others  
who specialize in certain lines, but  
there is only one man who can do  
them all, and that man is Noel  
Coward. He is far less-known to  
the movie public than he should be.  
A few may remember him for  
"Private Lives" the play of his  
writing which Norman Shearer and  
Robert Montgomery acted on the  
screen. Two more of his are com-  
ing out "Cavalcade" and "To-  
night Is Ours." He is called the  
wonder boy of the stage. There  
isn't a thing connected with the  
stage that he cannot do, and does  
it well. He has produced and he  
has directed, and with all that to  
his credit, he is only 33 years old.  
Mr. Coward was born in London  
(England) of a good but not dis-  
tinguished family. He was edu-  
cated privately, but steadily  
he passed his time in writing and  
learning how to act. At 22 he  
crashed through as double success  
as a playwright and actor. His  
play "Pill Leave It To You" was  
produced in London, with the  
leading role portrayed by none  
other than the young author him-  
self. This is his third movie play,  
but we feel confident that he will  
in a short time be equally as well-  
known to movie fans as well as  
theatre audiences. Hollywood is  
trying to persuade him to act in  
one of his plays.

CAVALCADE STORY 5

An Old Woman at 56.

Is Diana Wynyard, the lovely  
English girl who scored a terrific  
success as Jane Marryot in the Fox  
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A FOX PICTURE.JOAN CRAWFORD  
ON THE 1933 GIRLMOST VITAL IN ALL  
HISTORY

The girl of 1933 is the most vital  
girl in feminine history, according  
to the Joan Crawford, perennially  
popular film star who makes her  
latest screen appearance at the  
Queen's Theatre from Friday in  
"To-day We Live," in which she  
is co-starred with Gary Cooper.  
The new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer  
production is based on a story  
by William Faulkner, celebrated  
author of "Light in August" and  
"Sanctuary."

"To-day's girl is an interesting  
combination of several strong  
forces which shook the world in  
recent years," stated Miss Craw-  
ford in a recent interview. "These  
are: first, the war; second, the era  
of reckless, spendthrift prosperity,  
previous to 1929; and fourth, the  
current period of the depression."

"In valuating all of these I  
think the cornerstone lies with the  
years of the World War. To-day,  
girls are for the first time reaping  
the results of the independence  
which women had during the war.  
At that time they were given res-  
ponsibilities of considerable im-  
portance. Certainly the job of war  
nurse was no sinecure, nor the part  
of girls who waited with tears in  
their eyes for the return of lovers  
from dangerous errands as I do  
in "To-day We Live."

"The result was that after the  
war girls shouldered responsibility.

George O'Brien, dare-devil Fox star in a thrilling scene from  
"Smoke Lightning", adapted from a story by Zane Grey. 2PA

## ITS A FACT

Clara Bow's come back picture  
"Call Her Savage" broke all re-  
cords at the Roxy Theatre in New  
York. Evidently the "It girl"  
still has "It."

The fight scene between Clara  
Bow and Thelma Todd in "Call  
Her Savage" is more realistic than  
any one might suppose.

Bert Wheeler of Woolsey and  
Wheeler fame has a gold mine  
which assures him \$100,000 a day  
for the rest of his life.

The village gossips are beginning  
to say that Katharine Hepburn  
will give Lilyan Tashman a close  
race for the title of best dressed  
woman in Hollywood. Katharine  
has her own ideas in styles, and  
even in a sweater and smock she'd  
make the average well dressed  
woman jealous.

Buddy Rogers and Dick Powell  
are rivals for the attentions and  
evenings of Mary Brian who re-  
cently startled Hollywood with an  
extremely unusual evening gown.

Kay Francis insists that if even-  
ing dresses for ladies become any  
tighter, the old fashioned sport of  
sitting down will soon be a lost  
art.

The highest paid director in  
Sweden gets 3,000 crowns per film.  
This means \$800.00, which isn't  
much when you consider that the  
picture may take months to make.  
Joe E. Brown, who never touches

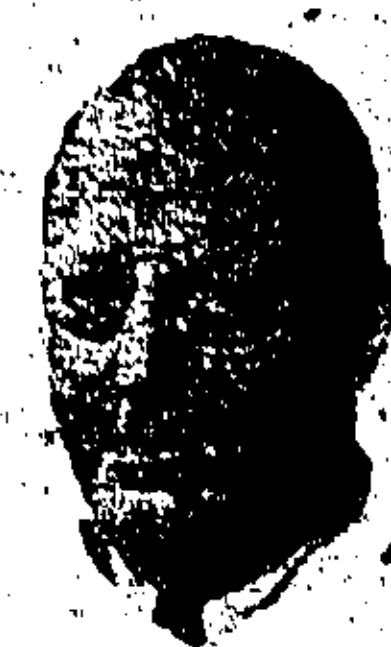
"SMOKE LIGHT-  
NING"

COMING TO THE KING'S

"Smoke Lightning" from the story  
"Canon Walls" by Zane Grey, is  
an up to date tale of the cattle  
country. It is said to be one of  
the most exciting of George  
O'Brien's career. Nell O'Day and  
Betsy King Ross are on the cast  
and Miss O'Day furnishes the  
romance to this western thriller.  
Little Betsy Ross is not quite ten  
years old, yet is claimed to be one  
of the country's crack riders. She  
has a collection of cups and  
trophies to prove this statement.  
This picture has its locale in one  
of the most picturesque and rug-  
ged spots in the U.S. western coun-  
try. It is intensely exciting.  
Frank Atkinson, a British com-  
edian of note offers splendid sup-  
port. This is to be shown at the  
King's Theatre commencing Fri-  
day.

tobacco, gets deathly sick when he  
has to smoke in a picture.

Karen Norley is a graduate of  
the University of California.  
Ramon Navarro who is appearing  
at the Palladium this week, paid  
a visit to the Shepherd's Bush  
Studios on Thursday.



Jesse Lasky

NEW PICTURE EDITING  
SYSTEM

INTRODUCED BY LASKY.

Hollywood—Instead of editing  
pictures to match dialogue and  
sound effects, as is now the prac-  
tice, Producer Jesse L. Lasky  
henceforth will encourage the silent  
cutting of films.

"In this system he hopes to make  
the pictorial action in his pictures  
self-explanatory and less reliant  
upon dialogue."

"Under this new method, which is  
to be started with 'The Worst  
Woman in Paris,' the film will  
be edited silently, which the sound  
track muted. An understandable  
story sequence will be the goal of  
the cutters. When this is attained  
the sound complementing the action  
will be added."

"The result," Lasky said, "will  
be a story that can be understood  
without explanatory dialogue. There  
will be less straining of the ears to  
catch voices and more entertain-  
ment, since the story will stand on  
its own merits."

"I am influenced in doing this  
by the report that 12 out of every  
100 persons attending picture  
shows are hard of hearing. An-  
other deciding factor was the desire  
to get back to the technique of  
silent films where clarity of story  
is essential for best audience ap-  
preciation."

turned to quiet and forgetfulness.  
They kept at this high-strung, ner-  
vous, artificial and irresponsible  
peak right up through prosperity.  
Then disaster came again. Not  
disaster as we knew it during the  
World War via bloodshed, but  
something equally vital in their  
lives, if not more so. Women who  
served in the war told their daugh-  
ters of the responsibilities of those  
days. To-day, girls are lifting the  
burdens of their men by devising  
cheaper methods of eating and  
learning how to make a two-dollar  
frook as attractive as one costing  
twenty times as much. The present  
acceptance as one costing twenty  
times as much. The present accept-  
ance of responsibility by women  
comes from a variety of sources but  
certainly not the least important of  
them is the World War period  
which carried its own bitter lesson."

"To-day We Live" is the first  
romance in which Miss Craw-  
ford has been seen on the screen.  
With Cooper in the male lead, the  
cast includes Robert Young, Fran-  
cine Tonne, Roscoe Karns, Louise  
Closer Hale, Rollo Lloyd and  
Hilda Vaughan under the direction  
of Howard Hawks, who produced  
"Scarface."

Mrs. Saphhead rushed into her  
neighbour's house without troubling  
to knock.

"My dear!" she gasped, "I'm  
in an awful state. I don't know  
what to do next!"

"Whatever is the matter?" asked  
the neighbour.

"I've just had a terrible warn-  
ing of approaching death."

"Goodness me! What do you  
mean?"

"Well," said Mrs. Saphhead, "I  
bought one of those lifetime foun-  
tainpens the other day, and now  
it's broken!"

Ralph Forbes and Roland Young talk it out, while Genevieve  
Tobin, the very one they're talking out, looks on somewhat un-  
concerned. A scene from "Pleasure Cruise," new Fox screen play.

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that will touch your  
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Through

Directed by

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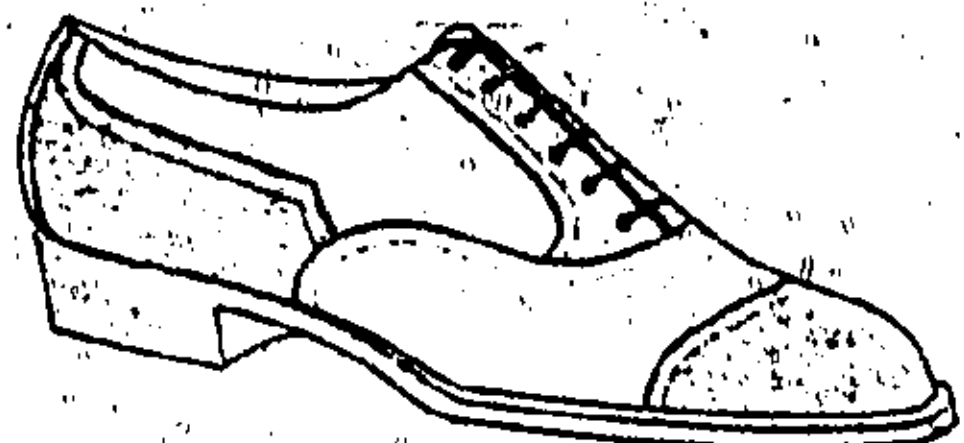
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own quivering lips... your own  
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GARY  
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Much Capital Wanted.

There is untold wealth to be found in this quarter of the globe which possesses not only gold but coal, copper, graphite, oil and possibly platinum but the exploitation of mines in this part of the world requires enormous capital.

The scheme of constructing a great railway line along the northern part of Siberia has been spoken of for some time and if this were finally constructed there would be only 75 km. of water between the Siberian coast and Alaska. It is possible that the concession would be given to American engineers to construct such a railway which would be of enormous value to Soviet Russia as it would pass some of the richest gold districts of the north and would also be able to convey fish from the shores of Kamchatka into the centre of Russia.

It must not be forgotten that Mr. Sokolnikoff who was in favour of leasing Eastern Siberia to America some years ago, is now the People's Com-

## PROCEEDS OF AN ARMED ROBBERY

### THREE MEN CHARGED ONE SENTENCED.

Three Chinese appeared before Mr. Schofield at Central Magistrate yesterday to answer three charges each:

1. Participation in an armed robbery at Chai Wan in which they stole articles of clothing, a topce, etc.
2. Possession of offensive weapons.
3. Receiving a topce, a pair of trousers and a jacket.

The three defendants were Hung Kam, Chan Nga and Hung Shek all duckyard coolies. The first and third defendants pleaded guilty but the second denied knowledge of everything.

The first two charges were withdrawn. On the third charge a Chinese named Lam Pui, the complainant, gave evidence of identifying the property which had been stolen from his matched at Wang Hang, Shaukiwan, on July 28 by several masked men.

Sub-Inspector Logan told "His Worship" that when arrested and taken to their huts first defendant admitted ownership of the topce and the third said the trousers were his.

Chinese Detective Chang Tak gave evidence of arresting the three defendants in a tea house in Shaukiwan, along with three others who were afterwards released. He also testified to finding the topce and the clothing in the hut.

Sergeant Baker corroborated the detective's evidence and the defendants were then asked what they had to say.

The first and third defendants were silent but the one who pleaded not guilty was voluble. He kept on repeating that he did not know the clothing had been stolen and that it had been given to him by a man named Lo Kam.

Remarking that even if he had admitted possession of the topce it did not mean that he had guilty knowledge with regard to it, Mr. Schofield discharged the third defendant. The second was also let off, the Magistrate deciding that there was no evidence against him either.

The first defendant was sentenced to three months' hard labour. His Worship deciding that it was "perfectly clear he had shared the booty with the armed robbers."

misar for the Asiatic Department of the Foreign Commissariat of the U.S.S.R. and, therefore, there may be some truth in the rumours that are being published by the Russian press of Harbin.

State From Attack.

Politically such a lease would be of enormous value to Soviet Russia as it would entirely provide any possibility of any other nation getting any influence in the Maritime Provinces, and at the same time, would make U.S.S.R. quite safe from any attack on her eastern sea coast by her powerful neighbour.

## RUSSIA'S FAR EAST PROVINCES

### "Placed On Military Basis"

#### STORES AND SHIP BUILD- ING AT VLADIVOSTOK

HARBIN, July 28.

Official circles in Harbin have just received new information regarding the work being carried on by the Soviet in the Far East from which it is evident that every endeavour is being taken to have the Maritime Provinces placed on a military basis at the very earliest moment to be ready for any outbreak of war.

Work is being carried on at an intense rate not only on land but also at sea as quite lately a sensation was caused at Vladivostok by the issue of an order forbidding ocean steamers to enter the Bay of the Golden Horn, this order being given not only to foreign steamers but also to those flying the Soviet flag.

At the present moment there are only war vessels to be found in the Golden Horn Bay, the number of such steadily increasing. It may not be known to everybody that there is a large ship-building yard at Vladivostok and that several foreign specialists as well as a number of engineers and shipbuilders have arrived from Odessa. The authorities have adopted measures to prevent any person seeing what is being done at the shipbuilding yards, but the population of Vladivostok is quite certain that new war vessels are being constructed.

The dry dock at the Golden Horn has been entirely renovated and is always engaged in repairs of war vessels, and as this dock is a very large one it can accommodate some of the largest vessels now afloat.

Great attention is being paid to fortifications along the frontier as well as the construction of many aerodromes where aeroplanes would be able to descend in case of necessity.

Both the Amur and the Ussuri Rivers are fully used to bring stores of all kinds from the interior of Russia as well as light and heavy artillery, tanks, armoured cars and aeroplanes.

War Not Wanted.

Evidently Soviet Russia, notwithstanding its peaceful policy is determined not to be caught napping and is making preparations for war on a colossal scale. The population of the Maritime Provinces seeing the preparations that are now going on are fully convinced that there will be war. But it is difficult for them to express any opinion of their own as they are guided by the Commissar and have nothing to read excepting those papers which the government publishes itself and which are all of one tenor.

There are many stories printed regarding famine in this part of the world but there is really nothing authentic to be learned about the situation and probably this refers only to such people as have not recognised the Soviet Government up to the present time and are known in the country as "lishentsi," or persons without rights.

There is no doubt that there are ample stores of grain for the army and that the supplies of war materials are so great that in the event of a war breaking out there will be sufficient for the Far East to carry it on for several months without bringing any fresh supplies from European Russia.

It is quite impossible to get any figures as to the strength of the Soviet army in the Far East at the present moment, but the parades which were held on May 1 at Haborovsk and Blagoveshchensk prove that there are far more troops in the Far East at the present moment than there have been for several years and even more than in 1923 when the conflict between China and Soviet Russia over the railway question broke out.

Though there are so many rumours of possible war, common sense impels one to come to the opinion that neither side wishes to enter into a conflict which will cost many lives and an enormous sum of money which neither Soviet Russia nor Japan can afford.—N.C.D.N.

## CHANGCHOW'S BUS SERVICE

### FIRST FATALITY: MAN WITH FRACTURED SKULL

Changchow, Ku, Aug. 1.

With a total of six buses, three running to a small town approximately ten kilometres south and three running west about ten miles to Panbu, we have had our first accidents. One of the victims was struck by a returning bus, thrown to the ground and had his left ear completely severed. The patient is quite recovered but is a pitiful sight. The other case was one that fell from the top of the bus when the car gave lurch in starting. The patient suffered a fracture of the skull and died two days after the accident. In both cases the drivers of the cars were not held responsible.

The City of Changchow is building a school to train midwives and work has actually started near the East Gate. The order came from Nanking that all cities were to train and register the midwives and that any person practicing without registering would be punished. This is an order that will be appreciated by the people in time. The city is to erect the building and pay the ex-

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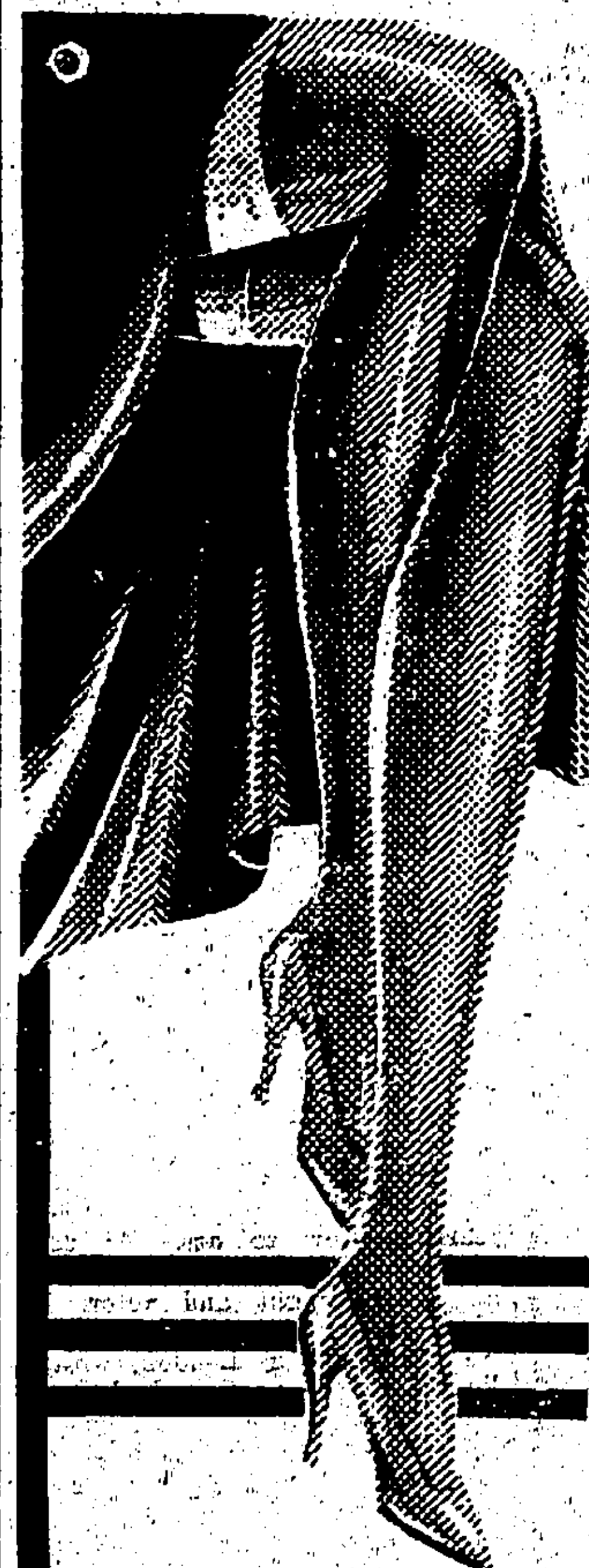
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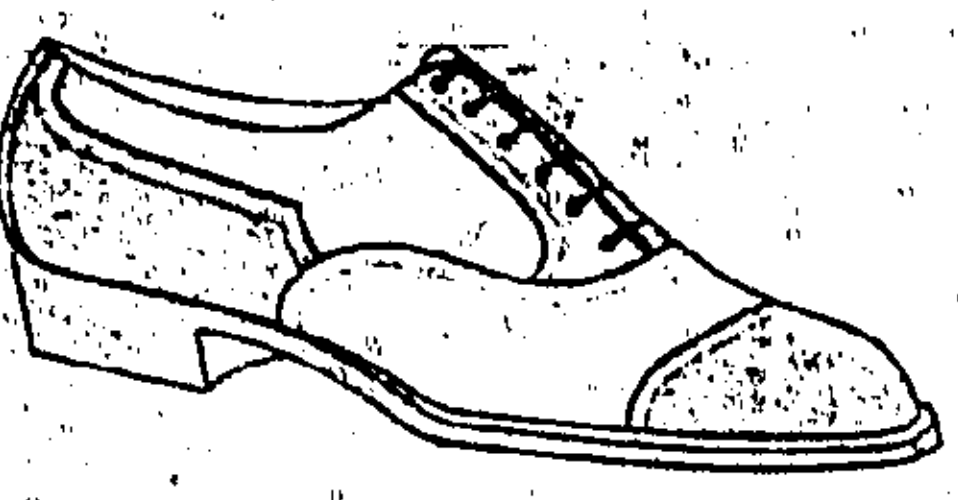
### WIVES WATCH FRUITLESS RESCUE OPERATIONS.

Sydney, August 9.—Twenty-five men worked unceasingly for sixteen hours to-day to free men who had been buried by a fall of earth in a well on the Armageddon station.

Thomas Stewart, 32 years old and Herbert Drummer, 26, were killed while their wives stood by helplessly enduring the terrible ordeal. Feverish attempts were made to save the men whose pitiful appeals for help deeply affected the band of rescuers.—Reuter.

south of the new Hospital is to be built. The concrete piles are made but work seems to be lacking on other parts of the work. This bridge is being built and paid for by one of the local Gentry.—N.C.D.N.





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Much Capital Wanted.  
There is untold wealth to be found in this quarter of the globe which possesses not only gold but coal, copper, graphite, oil and possibly platinum but the exploitation of mines in this part of the world requires enormous capital.  
The scheme of constructing a great railway line along the northern part of Siberia has been spoken of for some time and if this were finally constructed there would be only 75 km. of water between the Siberian coast and Alaska. It is possible that the concession would be given to American engineers to construct such a railway which would be of enormous value to Soviet Russia as it would pass some of the richest gold districts of the north and would also be able to convey fish from the shores of Kamobatska into the centre of Russia.  
It must not be forgotten that Mr. Sokolnikoff who was in favour of leasing Eastern Siberia to America some years ago, is now the Peoples' Com-

# PROCEEDS OF AN ARMED ROBBERY

## THREE MEN CHARGED: ONE SENTENCED.

Three Chinese appeared before Mr. Schofield at Central Magistracy yesterday to answer three charges each:  
1. Participation in an armed robbery at Chai Wan in which they stole articles of clothing, a topee, etc.  
2. Possession of offensive weapons.  
3. Receiving a topee, a pair of trousers and a jacket.  
The three defendants were Hung Kam, Chan Nga and Hung Shek all dockyard coolies. The first and third defendants pleaded guilty but the second denied knowledge of everything.  
The first two charges were withdrawn. On the third charge a Chinese named Lam Pui, the complainant, gave evidence of identifying the property which had been stolen from his matchbox at Wang Hing, Shaukiwan, on July 28 by several masked men.  
Sub-Inspector Logan told His Worship that when arrested and taken to their huts first defendant admitted ownership of the topee and the third said the trousers were his.  
Chinese Detective Chang Tak gave evidence of arresting the three defendants in a tea house in Shaukiwan, along with three others who were afterwards released. He also testified to finding the topee and the clothing in the hut.  
Sergeant Baker corroborated the detective's evidence and the defendants were then asked what they had to say.  
The first and third defendants were silent but the one who pleaded not guilty was voluble. He kept on repeating that he did not know the clothing had been stolen and that it had been given to him by a man named Lo Kam.  
Remarking that even if he had admitted possession of the topee it did not mean that he had guilty knowledge with regard to it, Mr. Schofield discharged the third defendant. The second was also let off, the Magistrate deciding that there was no evidence against him either.  
The first defendant was sentenced to three months' hard labour. His Worship deciding that it was perfectly clear he had shared the booty with the armed robbers.

# CHANGCHOW'S 'BUS' SERVICE

## FIRST FATALITY: MAN WITH FRACTURED SKULL

Changchow, Ku, Aug. 1.  
With a total of six buses, three running to a small town approximately ten kilometres south and three running west about ten miles to Fehou, we have had our first accident. One of the victims was struck by a returning bus thrown to the ground and had his left ear completely severed. The patient is quite recovered but is a pitiful sight. The other case was one that fell from the top of the bus when the car gave lurch in starting. The patient suffered a fracture of the skull and died two days after the accident. In both cases the drivers of the cars were not held responsible.  
The City of Changchow is building a school to train midwives and work has actually started near the East Gate. The order came from Nanking that all cities were to train and register the midwives and that any person practicing without registering would be punished. This is an order that will be appreciated by the people in time. The city is to erect the building and pay the ex-

# RUSSIA'S FAR EAST PROVINCES

## "Placed On Military Basis"

## STORES AND SHIP BUILD- ING AT VLADIVOSTOK

HARBIN, July 28.  
Official circles in Harbin have just received new information regarding the work being carried on by the Soviet in the Far East from which it is evident that every endeavour is being taken to have the Maritime Provinces placed on a military basis at the very earliest moment to be ready for any outbreak of war.  
Work is being carried on at an intense rate not only on land but also at sea as quite lately a sensation was caused at Vladivostok by the issue of an order forbidding ocean steamers to enter the Bay of the Golden Horn, this order being given not only to foreign steamers but also to those flying the Soviet flag.  
At the present moment there are only war vessels to be found in the Golden Horn Bay, the number of such steadily increasing. It may not be known to everybody that there is a large ship-building yard at Vladivostok and that several foreign specialists as well as a number of engineers and shipbuilders have arrived from Odessa. The authorities have adopted measures to prevent any person seeing what is being done at the shipbuilding yards, but the population of Vladivostok is quite certain that new war vessels are being constructed.  
The dry dock at the Golden Horn has been entirely renovated and is always engaged in repairs of war vessels and as this dock is a very large one it can accommodate some of the largest vessels now afloat.  
Great attention is being paid to fortifications along the frontier as well as the construction of many aerodromes where aeroplanes would be able to descend in case of necessity.  
Both the Amur and the Ussuri Rivers are fully used to bring stores of all kinds from the interior of Russia as well as light and heavy artillery, tanks, armoured cars and aeroplanes.

# War Not Wanted.

Evidently Soviet Russia, notwithstanding its peaceful policy is determined not to be caught napping and is making preparations for war on a colossal scale. The population of the Maritime Provinces seeing the preparations that are now going on are fully convinced that there will be war. But it is difficult for them to express any opinion of their own as they are guided by the Commissar and have nothing to read excepting those papers which the government published itself and which are all of one tenor.  
There are many stories printed regarding famine in this part of the world but there is really nothing authentic to be learned about the situation and probably this refers only to such people as have not recognised the Soviet Government up to the present time and are known in the country as "fishnets," or persons without rights.  
There is no doubt that there are ample stores of grain for the army and that the supplies of war materials are so great that in the event of a war breaking out there will be sufficient in the Far East to carry it on for several months without bringing any fresh supplies from European Russia.  
It is quite impossible to get any figures as to the strength of the Soviet army in the Far East at the present moment, but the parades which were held on May 1 at Habarovsk and Blagoveshensk prove that there are far more troops in the Far East at the present moment than there have been for several years and even more than in 1920 when the conflict between China and Soviet Russia over the railway question broke out.  
Though there are so many rumours of possible war, common sense impels one to come to the opinion that neither side wishes to enter into a conflict which will cost many lives and an enormous sum of money which neither Soviet Russia nor Japan can afford.—N.C.D.N.

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RESCUE OPERATIONS.  
Sydney, August 9. — Twenty-five men worked unceasingly for sixteen hours to-day to free men who had been buried by a fall of earth in a well on the Armageddon station.  
Thomas Stewart, 25 years old, and Herbert Drummer, 35, were killed, while their wives stood by helplessly enduring the terrible ordeal. Feverish attempts were made to save the men whose pitiful appeals for help deeply affected the band of rescuers.—Reuter.  
south of the new Hospital is to be built. The concrete piles are made but work seems to be lacking on other parts of the work. This bridge is being built and paid for by one of the local Gentry.—N.C.D.N.  
penses, and the hospital here will furnish teachers without cost for the scientific training of the students. The Cholera Hospital to be supplied by the city is also being fitted for the expected run of patients. This will relieve the quarters of the New Hospital which is still functioning in a few Chinese buildings pending the finishing of the new edifice.  
Enormous Crops.  
Heavy rains falling during the forepart of the week have been a blessing to the farmers and the rice levels and the reserve ponds are filled. There should be an enormous crop of produce this year.  
A New Bridge.  
The new concrete bridge over the canal outside the North gate towards the Railway Station is finished and will be open for traffic in a few days. This bridge is a boon to the City as it shortens and straightens out the road and is built so that the motor cars will be able to cross. A new bridge spanning a small canal just (Continued at foot of next column)



## HAZARA SINGH AWARDED DAMAGES

Jury Finds Verdict For Sikh Money-lender:  
Disagree Over An Important Issue

## TOTAL OF \$2,513 SPECIAL AND GENERAL DAMAGES

After retiring for an hour and a half, the jury empanelled to hear the claim by Hazara Singh against Sawan, for damages for wrongful arrest, awarded damages to the plaintiff amounting to \$2,513.

The Acting Chief Justice (Mr. J. R. Wood) before whom the case was heard, drew up a series of questions for the jury, who were unanimous in their answers except in respect to a question as to whether or not Hazara Singh on November 13, left the Colony with the intention of evading his just debts. Four jurymen believed that he did, while three were of the opinion that he did not.

The day commenced with the evidence of Mr. F. C. E. Rendall and after three minor witnesses had been called the case for the defence was closed. Mr. F. C. Jenkins, K.C., addressed the jury for a little over half an hour, while Mr. McNeil took just over one hour for his speech on behalf of the plaintiff. His Lordship summed up for half an hour and the jury retired at 4.40 and returned at 6.20. There was a very large gathering of Indians and others, and not a few members of the legal community to watch the ending of this interesting case.

## COUNCIL'S SPEECHES AND THE SUMMING UP

## Mr. F. C. E. Rendall's Evidence.

Mr. Rendall was the first witness called yesterday morning.

Mr. Jenkins: You had charge of the proceedings in the police court against Hazara Singh?

Witness: Yes.

Your first interview on this matter was on November 15—

Yes.

Who were present at the interview? Saporan Singh introduced Motta Bhag Singh and Bagat Singh to me.

At this point witness identified Motta Bhag Singh.

As a result of the information confided to you by them did you visit police headquarters? Yes, the following day. I first saw Mr. Wolfe, the I.G.P., and on his instructions I went to Mr. Scott.

The police preferred that your clients should apply themselves for the warrant?—That was so.

You returned to your office and you called for the production of certain Promissory Notes?—Yes. Those which were latest in time prior to the date on which, as they told me, Hazara Singh had left the Colony. They brought me two dated November 4 and November 10.

Up to that time you had not heard the name of Sawan in connection with this matter at all?—No.

His Lordship: Who were these notes produced to you by?—Sawan came to the office with Motta Bhag Singh and Bagat Singh and produced them.

Did Motta Bhag Singh go up to the magistracy with you?—He was there when I arrived.

Now we know that Hazara Singh was brought back to the Colony and sometime afterwards Summary Court writs were issued in the name of Sawan for the recovery of \$3,500—I cannot remember the exact amount the writs were issued for.

You know about them?—Yes, my firm issued them.

At whose request?—At the request of Sawan on my advice.

It was you who first suggested that they should be issued?—Yes.

Who paid your firm the requisite money for the matter?—Motta Bhag Singh and Bagat Singh. The same two made a subsequent payment on November 25.

Cross-examined by Mr. MacNeill, witness said he had not confused the Bhag Singhs in his memory of what took place and he pointed them out in court.

Mr. MacNeill: The first time you say you heard Sawan's name was when you asked for a Promissory Note?—Yes.

Do you know Chota Bhag Singh said that Sawan definitely expressed a wish to the prosecutor in this matter?—I don't know anything about it.—It is the most surprising thing I have heard.

We have been told that before the first charge came to trial there was some talk about withdrawing it?—Yes.

I think it is right that you actually spoke to the magistrate about it?—Yes.

And that interview was on the instructions of your clients?—Yes. At that time there were literally dozens of people coming to see me about it and asking me to withdraw.

## On whose instructions did you act?—On my client's, Sawan's.

Re-examined by Mr. Jenkins, Mr. Rendall agreed that Sawan was described by him as a "nominal" defendant.

## For the Defence.

In the course of his address to the jury, Mr. Jenkins said that the allegation that Sawan had manipulated the promissory notes in order to get Hazara Singh down to Hong Kong so as to collect a personal debt due to Sawan was entirely not proved by the evidence.

In fact that was not even put to the defendant by Mr. MacNeill. Similarly there was no evidence that when Sawan swore that plaintiff's promissory notes had been transferred to Gunga Singh, that he knew that his statement was false. Mr. Jenkins asked whether it was not Counsel's duty to put these questions to the witness so that he could clear himself of any such charge which might be brought against him. Mr. Jenkins said that Mr. MacNeill did not put the question, not only because he no longer entertained such an idea, but also because on the evidence before the Court and the jury he could not ask anyone to say that Sawan knew that he was acting falsely.

"One matter which should concern you very much should be this," said Mr. Jenkins. "Did the defendant Sawan reasonably believe the things he was saying when he swore the information. You will find it very difficult to answer that question in any other way than favourably to my client."

Mr. Jenkins then referred to the "sudden and secret departure" of Hazara Singh and passed on to ask the jury to remember the malice suggested by Mr. MacNeill in his opening, which, said, Mr. Jenkins, he had entirely failed to prove.

## Reply for Plaintiff.

Mr. MacNeill in the course of his reply reviewed the evidence at some length and contended that there had been malice proved, and that the jury could not come to any other conclusion than that the defendant when he swore this information knew it to be false.

With regard to the fraudulent transfers, said Mr. MacNeill, Mr. Jenkins had frankly said that Sawan had believed the statement to be true, because it was believed in the Sikh community that plaintiff had transferred promissory notes and absconded. Mr. Jenkins had also said that it was absurd for anyone to make the suggestion that Sawan could have come to any other conclusion, but that the statement was true. He (Mr. MacNeill) thought it was absurd for Mr. Jenkins to make such a suggestion. It was the duty of the defendant to inquire into the substance of the charge.

## The Summing Up.

In summing up, His Lordship explained in detail the three charges mentioned in the statement of claim and said that the jury would have to consider the plaintiff's claim for damages in respect of each of the three charges. The plaintiff had alleged that the defendant brought these charges against him maliciously, and without reasonable or probable cause. The textbook said that to succeed in an action for malicious

prosecution the plaintiff must prove that the prosecution was for a criminal charge, that the proceedings had terminated in his favour, that the defendant instituted or carried on such proceedings, and that plaintiff had suffered damage.

The jury had to consider whether Sawan brought these proceedings maliciously. Malice in this connection merely meant hostility of one man to another, actuated by spite or ill-will. If this malice was to be proved against Sawan it must be shown that he was acting from ill-will towards the plaintiff or that in prosecuting him he was following out some purpose or object unconnected with the prosecution which he had no right to carry out in that way.

His Lordship then took the jury over the facts when the information was laid and asked them to consider the state of the defendant's mind at the time, pointing out it was material for them to consider whether Sawan was actuated by ill-will or not.

At another stage of the summing up His Lordship said that a man who brings a charge against another man, must abide by the terms of that charge. It was immaterial whether Sawan believed Hazara Singh a rogue, but there must be a reasonable belief in the existence of facts on which the charge is brought. It was not enough to say that one was doing a public duty. A man, in order to clear himself, of the implication of malice must show that he believed that the facts on which the charge was brought was true.

At this stage, His Lordship handed the jury a series of questions, which together with the jury's answers will be found below. One of the questions was whether the plaintiff on November 13, left the Colony with the intention of evading his just debts. It was necessary to prove that when it came to a question of assessing damages.

With regard to the question of damages, said His Lordship, the plaintiff, if he succeeded in his action, was entitled to receive a sufficient amount of damages for his arrest in Shanghai, his imprisonment there, his journey in custody between Shanghai and Hong Kong, his imprisonment on arrival in Hong Kong and his detention in the Courts while the proceedings were going on. It was for the jury to say how much compensation should be awarded to a man in plaintiff's walk of life for the discomforts he had suffered. Apart from the above he was also entitled to damages in respect of injury to his standing and in that connection it was important that the jury should make up their mind as to whether the plaintiff was dishonest or otherwise.

## Questions and Answers.

The jury retired with the questions put to them by the judge and after returning to court to seek further direction from the judge on the point of malice, returned the following answers. The questions and answers are given in full below:—

## Q. Was the charge which is set out in paragraph 4 of the Statement of Claim and which is contained in paragraph 4 of the Defendant's Information sworn on November 16, 1932, to the effect that the Plaintiff had on the 10th day of November, 1932, borrowed from the Defendant the sum of \$3,500.00 and had then obtained that sum from the Defendant by means of a false pretence with intent to defraud contrary to section 75 sub-section 1 of the Larceny Ordinance, Ordinance No. 5 of 1865, warranted by the evidence disclosed in these proceedings?

A: Not warranted.

Q: If the answer to question No. 1 is "No," did the Defendant Sawan (a) bring this charge with malice believing it to be untrue.

A: Yes.

Q: (b) bring this charge believing it to be true.

A: No.

Q: If he believed it true was he reasonable in so believing?

A: The question does not arise.

Q: Was the charge brought by the Defendant as Complainant against the Plaintiff before the Magistrate on December 17, 1932, and set out in the Information sworn by the Defendant on December 8, 1932, to the effect that on November 10, 1932, the Plaintiff had obtained credit to the extent of \$3,500.00 from the Defendant by means of fraud contrary to section 75 (a) of the Larceny Ordinance, Ordinance No. 5 of 1865, warranted by the evidence disclosed in these proceedings?

A: No.

Q: If the answer to question No. 1 is "No," did the Defendant Sawan (a) bring this charge with malice believing it to be untrue.

A: Yes.

Q: (b) bring this charge believing it to be true.

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## THE ROMANCE OF HONG KONG AND CANTON

DR. J. M. HENRY ON A HISTORY WORTH WRITING

## HOW ROTARIANS CAN MAKE HISTORY TO-DAY

A very welcome guest at yesterday's meeting of the Hong Kong Rotary Club was Dr. J. M. Henry, the President of the brother club in Canton. Dr. Henry gave an address, full of humour, of a sense of the romance of the East, and of kindly wisdom. He urged Rotarians to learn more about Hong Kong and Canton—and about each other. He looked to the day when good histories would be available, making clear the pageant of Hong Kong, and of the much more ancient city of Canton. In Rotary he saw a great opportunity to foster good relations between East and West, and a brief account of what the Canton Club was doing was then given.

Sir Henry Pollock, K.C., was among the guests, and received an ovation when introduced by the President, Mr. T. B. Wilson, who said that he hoped Sir Henry might be prevailed upon to give an address on Hong Kong 40 years ago.

Dr. Henry was thanked for his address by Rotarian Green.

## THE ELEMENTS OF A GREAT DRAMA

Dr. Henry in the course of his address said: Some day perhaps the combined efforts of geologists, archaeologists, anthropologists and other scientists and historians will give us the outlines of the history of South China from the first days of primitive man.

The discoveries made by Professor Shellshear of the University, Father Finn and others, of relics of the Stone Age, stone axes and other implements, in the New Territories, Han period bronzes and pottery in Lantau, certainly intrigue the imagination. One wonders what kind of life the first Arab traders found, and where it was that they used to stop for water or to clean their ships. There must be materials did we but know the facts for many an Odyssey in the coast history of these shores from the early Arab days till the white winged clipper ships began to surge their way from Java, Head to Lintin. If a pageant could be prepared which would show it all as far as Hong Kong is concerned there would be the elements of real drama and I am sure most of us would be amazed at the epics which have been repeating and are still repeating themselves in this area.

## Pageant of Canton.

Equally dramatic would be a pageant of Canton, which though physically so much less picturesque than Hong Kong, has from the human point of view held the stage much longer. One would think that Kings would not easily be forgotten in their own country, but some of our Chinese Fellow Rotarians will remember the sensation about twenty years ago when on Tortoise Hill, Kwai Kong, in Tung Shan, the east end of Canton, the grave of the first King of Ut-Ut Wong—was accidentally uncovered.

Unfortunately, instead of some one stepping in and saving this for a public museum, the priceless relics were quietly dissipated. At the Canton City Exposition held this year one of the exhibits which attracted great interest was some of the beams which has shored up the interior of that grave. Just what Canton was when Ut Wong issued his defiance to the North one wonders. One also may be permitted to wonder what pomp and ceremony attended the building of the big tower by the Mahomedans, now known as the Smooth Pagoda (Kwong Tap), or the intermittent outside the North gate of the reputed maternal uncle of Mahomed. Even a hundred years ago, life in Canton was strange enough from the foreigner's point of view to judge by the accounts in Hunter's "Bits of Old China," or his "Fan Kwai" in Canton, or various items in the old Chinese Repository.

We enjoy our guava jelly and our custard apples, forgetting that they come from barbarian pomogranates and barbarian litchies, identically imported. The sweet potato the tomato are probably importations as well. Barbarian tubers and barbarian egg plants. We drink our aerated water, eat peas and enjoy the delicious fragrance of the magnolia grandiflora, and most of us are unaware that they are commonly called by the Chinese, Holland water, Holland legumes, Holland tubers and Holland egg plants. constant reminders that these necessities of life are due to importations by the Dutch. Our cigars whether Havanas

Dutch or Philippines are equally known as Lusoong In; the Luzon or Philippines smoke and so one might go on.

Some day an interesting book, I hope it will be a series of books will be written upon the history of Hong Kong and Canton, the beginnings of foreign intercourse etcetra. One has only to ask a few questions to know how much there is to know and how little one does know.

## Hong Kong and Canton in Mutual Ignorance.

There is ample excuse however for greater or lesser degrees of ignorance upon the historical side, but it is dismaying indeed to realise that this ignorance is only equalled if not surpassed by our own mutual ignorance and disregard of each other. It is quite likely that a full half of the population of Canton have never been to Hong Kong and I wonder what percentage of the non-Chinese civilian population of Hong Kong, has ever seen Canton. Do not for a moment imagine that I am assuming a "holier than thou" attitude. One of my earliest recollections of Hong Kong is of watching from the verandah of old Dr. Chalmers' House in Bonham Road. The first of the Empress boat, I think it was the Empress of China coming in on her maiden voyage. One of my pleasantest recollections is that of a few weeks of schooling at Queen's College which must be 40 years ago and yet in spite of this happy connection, in spite of the fact that I got to and from Canton I have to pass through Hong Kong and probably for one reason or another I am down here a dozen times each year, I have only the most superficial knowledge of Hong Kong and consequently can have no sort of understanding of Hong Kong itself, its problems, its life.

## Causes of Mismisunderstanding.

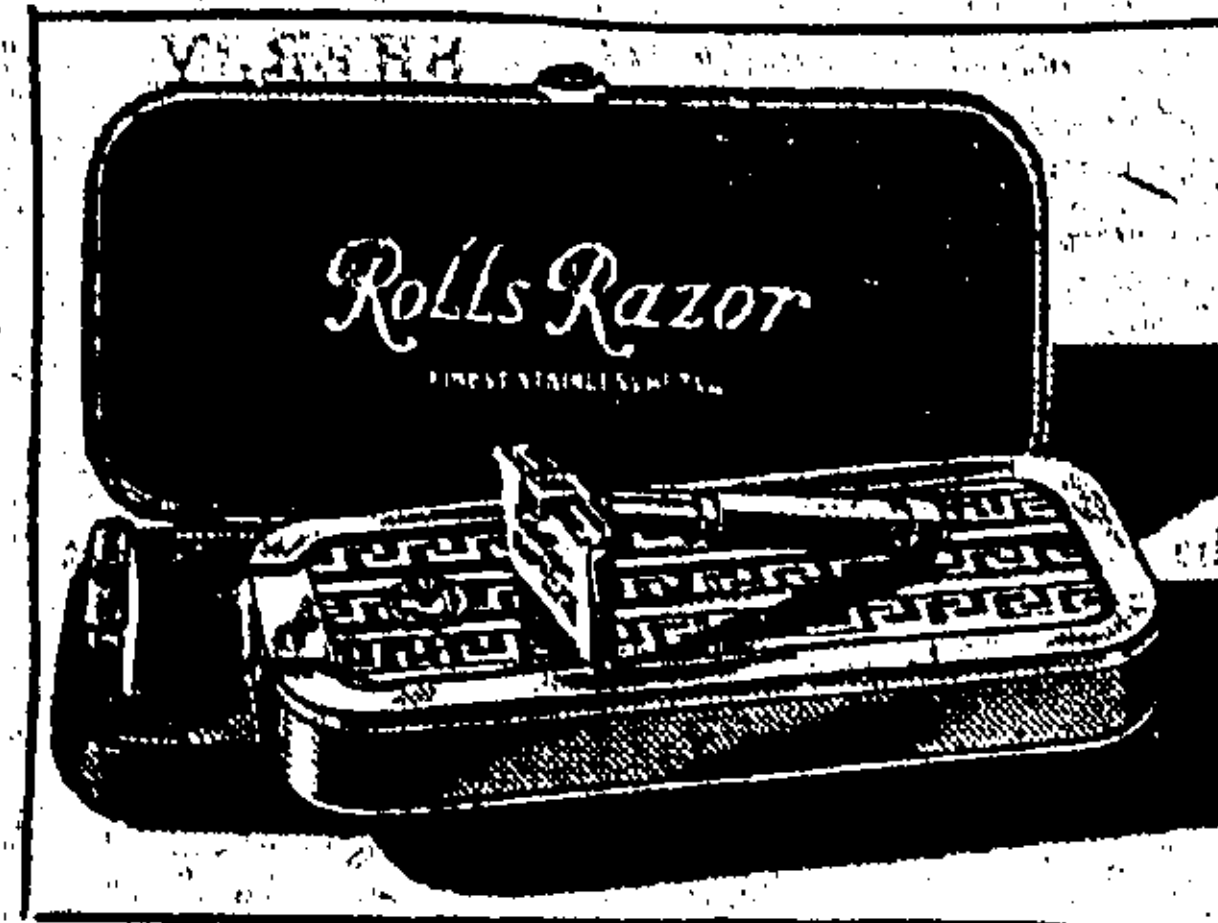
With this sort of ignorance of each other, and I assume I am sufficiently typical to argue that a great deal exists, there must naturally result a great field of mutual misunderstanding. There has always been plenty of this deep-seated misunderstanding as between East and West. Fundamentally different outlooks upon life, fundamentally different ways of living and of approaching the problem of life itself inevitably lead to misunderstanding. Pride of race, and God alone knows to what extraordinary lengths we all go, East and West in this. Stubbornness and selfishness and pig-headedness have all contributed and in the past barriers, stupid, unnecessary, and hurtful have grown up, or deliberately been erected and these are by no means all down.

In recent years, I refer primarily to 1923, 1927, I have seen all the bitterness of war time exhibited as Hong Kong and Canton seeth through a period of propaganda mutual distrust and mutual hate with most of this distrust and hate to utter misunderstanding of the one by the other.

## Rotary in Canton.

It is hard to believe Rotary has one of its major functions and my own personal experience in Canton during the past twenty

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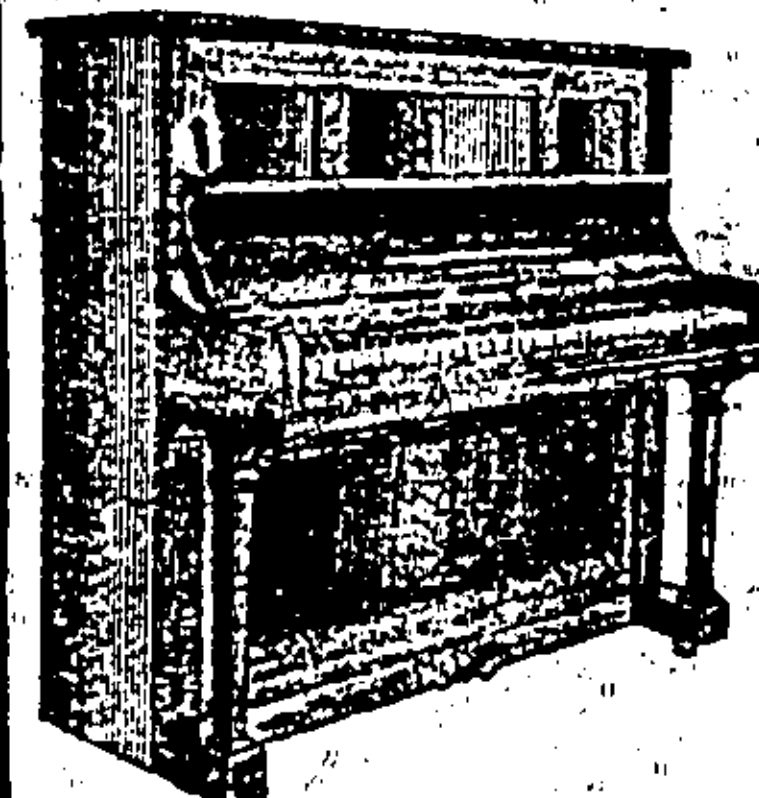
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will be held at the Club's Night Fete on September 2nd, 1933 and entries will be accepted from any Resident Amateur in the Colony. Entries close on August 28th, 1933.

P. A. DIXON,

Hon. Secretary.

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G. T. WALDEGRAVE,

Chaplain.

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## THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

## RACE FIXTURES FOR 1934.

Saturday, 24th February	Annual Meeting
Monday, 26th February	Race Meeting
Tuesday, 27th February	Race Meeting
Wednesday, 28th February	Meeting
Thursday, 1st March	Meeting
Saturday, 10th March	1st Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 31st March	2nd Extra Race Meeting
Sunday, 2nd April	Race Meeting
(Easter Monday)	Meeting
Saturday, 14th April	3rd Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 28th April	4th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 19th May	5th Extra Race Meeting
Monday, 21st May	Race Meeting
(Whit Monday)	Meeting
Saturday, 2nd June	6th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 22nd September	7th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 8th October	8th Extra Race Meeting
Wednesday, 10th October	Race Meeting
(Fourth Month)	Meeting
Saturday, 20th October	9th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 3rd November	10th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 17th November	11th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 1st December	12th Extra Race Meeting
Saturday, 15th December	13th Extra Race Meeting

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## SEEKING PEACE

The Institute of Pacific Relations has opened its session at Banff in Canada and is to discuss a number of thorny subjects of the kind that easily provoke loss of temper and the utterance of words that were better left unsaid. The unhappy thing about conferences is that when there is disagreement as to fact, and to interpretation of fact, the normal reactions of any but very trained debaters is unedifying, and unhelpful to the ultimate cause that all may have in view. Fortunately the Institute of Pacific Relations is aware of the pitfalls, takes special precautions to avoid them and wisely imposes a self-denying ordinance against resolutions. A Conference without resolutions is almost a contradiction in terms, but the one in question does at least allow statements of the different standpoints, and the fact that views highly unpalatable to many interests and individuals are expressed, draws no little denunciation on the whole Assembly from those who have never attended its deliberations. Sir William Shenton is among those present, and all who heard from him an account of last year's proceedings agreed that on the whole the annual Conference was doing useful work.

Simultaneously a British delegation to a peace conference, of "pacific groups," to be held at Shanghai, is on its way through the Colony in the French liner Andre Lebon. Lord Marley, who is to preside over this gathering, is well qualified to keep it to some idea of reality. Better known as Major D. L. Aman, M.P., the Under-Secretary of State for War in the late Labour Government, Lord Marley has had a distinguished career in the Royal Marines both ashore and afloat, having been on the staff of two most distinguished Admirals during the War, and he has also taken the staff course at

Camberley College. He at least knows the theory and practice of war, and understands the militarists case, however much he may disagree with it.

The pathetic thing is that many ardent seekers after peace generally do more harm than good to their own cause. They tend to be by nature defiant, recriminatory and impractical. In the early days of the Sino-Japanese clash that generous hearted man, Mr. George Lansbury, demanded in Parliament, that Japan be envicted forthwith from Manchuria. Filled with ardour on behalf of the weaker nation, the Republican nation and the traditionally pacific nation, and against an imperialist power, he never considered how his demand was to be implemented, and did not realise that was demanding another world war. The trouble is that as a race, pacifists are people of pronounced opinions, ready tongues and whole-hearted, but not very profound judgments on those with whom they disagree, even in matters of detail. They are the modern equivalent of the "unco" guid. Shanghai was not the best place to choose for a Conference at which one must expect a good deal of nonsense to be talked. It is too far away to allow responsible politicians to attend and must inevitably be manned by leisured persons, sufficiently interested in the subject to put themselves to great expense to be there. One hopes that the Conference will enable the delegates to learn something of the real nature of the situation out East, but the special functions associated with such occasions give little opportunity to see every day life. Fortunately at the moment all is quiet out East, and one hopes that the Conference will not, by any irony of fate, be treated to a demonstration of what China can do in the matter of civil war.

## BUS MISHAP AT CANTON

## ACCIDENT WHICH MAY PROVE FATAL

The danger of alighting from moving vehicles was again brought home to the public by the news from Canton that Kok Hang, aged 25, of that city, recently met with a serious accident from which doctors state he has little hope of recovery. Apparently the bus was nearing the corner of Taihang and Winglong Roads, and Kok Hang, although warned by the conductor and a passenger not to alight before the bus came to a standstill,

ANNOUNCEMENTS  
ENGAGEMENTS.

Lieut.-Comdr. H. R. GRAHAM, R.N., and Miss MARSHALL.—A marriage has been arranged between Lieut.-Comdr. Harry Robert Graham, R.N., youngest son of the late F. M. Graham, of Yankalilla, South Australia, and Miss Marshall, eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Marshall, of Shanghai, China.  
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**BIRTHS.**  
ENGLAND.—On August 9, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Englund, a daughter.  
GUTIERREZ.—On August 14, to Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gutierrez, a daughter.  
HINTON.—On July 29, 1933, at Nynet St. George Rectory, South Molton, Devon, to Kathleen Elsie, wife of John R. Hinton (China), a son.  
ISAACS.—At the Country Hospital, Shanghai, on Tuesday, to Mr. and Mrs. Nooriel Silas Isaacs, a son.  
JOHANNESSEN.—On August 9, 1933, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. V. Johannesen, a son.  
MACKENZIE.—On July 28, 1933, at 19, Warwick Square, Carlisle, to Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Mackenzie, Shanghai, a daughter.  
WOOD.—On July 28, 1933, at Springfield Wilmow, to Margaret (née West), wife of Ronald Mackay Wood, of Hong Kong, a daughter.

**DEATHS.**  
BURNS.—On August 9, 1933, at the General Hospital, Shanghai, Evelyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Burns, aged six years.  
MCLORN.—On August 8, 1933, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, George, husband of Florence McLorn.  
RAFKISS.—On August 10, 1933, at the General Hospital, Shanghai, at 7 p.m., A. Rafkiss, aged 38 years.

## OBITUARY

## THE REV. H. C. JETT OF YUNGCHUN

KULANGSU, AMOY, July 27.  
The English Presbyterian Mission, Amoy, has suffered a severe loss in the sudden death of the Rev. H. C. Jett, B.A., of Yungchun, who passed away on July 25, after a short illness. Mr. Jett was born in Nebraska, U.S.A., in 1890 and was educated first at Baldwin, Kansas, and later at the college of the Methodist Episcopal Church of America at Evanston, Illinois. He came to China as a missionary of the Methodist Church in 1920 and was appointed to Yungchun. In 1931, owing to financial stringency at the home base, the Methodist Episcopal Mission decided to withdraw all its foreign workers from South Fukien and elsewhere. Mr. Jett had become attached to the Chinese Church and was unwilling to leave. Hearing of this and that proposals were on foot to unite the South Fukien Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church with the South Fukien Synod the Church of Christ in China, local members of the English Presbyterian Mission suggested that Mr. Jett should transfer to the staff of that Mission and continue his work in the Yungchun region. On January 1, of this year Mr. Jett became a member of the English Presbyterian Mission dividing his time between the work of the two churches. His self-sacrifice and devotion had made a deep impression on the Chinese Church and his friends were looking forward to his spending many years of successful labour in South Fukien.

About a fortnight ago Mr. Jett became unwell and measles developed. This was followed by bronchial pneumonia. The Foreign Missions Committee of the English Presbyterian Church has already invited Mr. Jett to continue as a member of the Mission and continue her husband's work should she feel able to do so.—N.C.D.N.

## MARRIAGE

## MR. E. BOOTH AND MISS H. M. ADDIS

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, Aug. 1.  
The marriage took place yesterday at St. Alban's Church, Frant, Sussex, of Mr. Edmund Booth, younger son of Sir Alfred Booth, of Barton Hatch, Limsfield, Surrey, and Miss Henrietta Mary Addis, fourth daughter of Sir Charles and Lady Addis, of Woodside, Frant, Sussex. The Rev. E. M. Gresford-Jones and the Rev. J. M. Dudgeon officiated.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a princess gown of deep cream satin with a train cut in one with the skirt. Her veil of ivory tulle was held in place by a wreath of orange-blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of pale pink roses. There were four child bridesmaids, Miss Elizabeth Bernard and Miss Jacqueline Lawrence (nieces of the bride), Miss Mary Buxton and Miss Marian Buxton, who wore picture frocks of blue organdie, with long full skirts and short puff sleeves. They wore sashes of pink crepe de Chine and had pink flower wreaths on their heads. The bride was also attended by her two sisters, Miss Jean and Miss Rachael Addis, who wore dresses and capes of blue organza. The dresses were made with very full skirts, and they wore sashes of pink crepe de Chine and had pink flower wreaths on their heads. Mr. Peter Gayner, was best man.

A reception was held at Woodside, Frant, and then the bride and bridegroom left for their honeymoon, which is being spent in Tirol. The bride travelled in a dress of blue and white printed crepe de Chine with a full skirt cut on the cross and a draped corsage forming short cape sleeves, under a coat of blue woollen material.

Sir Charles and Lady Addis are sailing for Canada to-morrow by the Empress of Britain, and will be away for about two months.

These hit her on the head.  
She is now in the Kwong Wah Hospital, receiving treatment for a scalp wound. Perhaps the next time Mrs. Wong comes across two coolies fighting, she will leave them well alone.

## Local and General

Mrs. C. S. Rossetti was summoned before Mr. Schofield yesterday with disobeying a traffic signal. She pleaded guilty and was discharged with a caution.

Gun Practice will be carried out from Mount Davis on Thursday August 31, 1933 between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the vicinity of the Eastern approaches to the East Lamma Channel.

Guests invited to to-day's opening ceremony of the Hong Kong Brewers and Distillers Ltd., are reminded that cars will leave the Star Ferry, Kowloon, between 3.15 p.m. and 4 p.m.

Sentence of twelve strokes of the cane was passed by Mr. Wynne-Jones at Central Magistracy yesterday morning on two Chinese boys who stole a purse from a house in Pottinger Street. Both admitted previous convictions for similar offences.

Last week's record of notifiable diseases in the Colony was as follows:—Diphtheria, 1; enteric, 4 (1 death); meningitis 2 (2 deaths). There were 61 deaths from tuberculosis. On Monday two cases of enteric and one of paratyphoid were reported.

"It is a great problem," remarked Mr. Wynne-Jones at Central Magistracy yesterday morning when a Chinese boy, aged 14, was charged before him with hawking. Defendant said he had given up stealing for hawking, as the Magistrate had told him not to steal. His Worship remanded the case in order to get in touch with the S.C.A.

At Central Magistracy yesterday morning Mr. Wynne-Jones fixed hearing of the case in which five Chinese are charged with taking part in the sale of a child; for the afternoon of August 21. Bail was allowed to one of the defendants in \$200 on the application of Mr. Hin Shing Lo, instructed by Messrs. Woo & Nani.

Summonses against George Albert Batt, first class stoker, H.M.S. Olympus, for behaving in a disorderly manner at 97, Jaffee Road, Wanchai, on August 8, and for allegedly assaulting Wu Ki Cheuk, were mentioned before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court yesterday. It was stated that the defendant was at present at Weihaiwei. The summonses were adjourned sine die.

## MASONIC PEACE MEMORIAL

## DUKE OF CONNAUGHT'S THANKS TO CRAFT

(Special Air-Mail Service)

LONDON, Aug. 1.  
The Grand Master (the Duke of Connaught) has written to the Grand Secretary (Sir Colville Smith) as follows:

"Now that our great Temple and War Memorial has been opened and dedicated, I feel that I must heartily congratulate the Brethren on this wonderful consummation of our united endeavours to erect a worthy Memorial to the memory of all those Masons who fell in the Great War."

"In this splendid building we have a visible sign for all time of the unity and generosity of Freemasons from all parts of the Empire."

"I feel I must express to all the Brethren my fraternal thanks for the splendid manner in which they have supported me in this great undertaking. From my heart I thank them for the generous response they have shown to my appeal, which is worthy of the great traditions of our craft."

"Though, unfortunately, many were prevented from taking part in the great ceremony of the dedication of our Temple, I feel convinced they were with us in spirit, and I can assure them that they were in the thoughts of all present."

"As your Grand Master, I desire to express my personal thanks to all those who worked so hard, not only in raising the large necessary funds, but also in ensuring the success of our great ceremony."

"I thank the Great Architect of the Universe that I have been spared to see the completion of the work I had so much at heart."

## DON'T BE CURIOUS!

Two coolies were having a brawl and it had nothing at all to do with her. But Wong Ying was like all other women and, her curiosity getting the better of her good sense, she went to see what was going on.

Unfortunately for Mrs. Wong, the coolies had started hurling bricks at each other and one of

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## DELEGATES TO SHANGHAI

## Objects Of The Conference

## DELEGATE EXPLAINS IN SPECIAL INTERVIEW

"All this talk about Miss Wilkinson being missing is nonsense," said Mr. Gerald Hamilton, one of the British delegates to the Anti-War Conference which is to be convened in Shanghai next month, when interviewed by a Daily Press representative yesterday on board the French Mail, Andre Lebon.

Mr. Hamilton arrived here on the liner, en route to Shanghai in company with Lord Marley, who is to be the chairman of the Conference and the following delegates:—  
Dr. Marteaux (Belgian), deputy for Brussels.

M. Vaillant-Couturier (French), the well-known Left French Deputy and Mayor of Villejuif.

Mr. Dos Passos, the American delegate will join the party at Shanghai, while we were informed that Herr Thomas Mann, the German delegate, was prevented by the German Fascist Government from joining the party.

Mr. Hamilton informed our representative that when this happened, they invited General Von Shoenich to join, but no sooner was this made known than the General was arrested and put into gaol.

Turning back to the subject of Miss Wilkinson's "disappearance," Mr. Hamilton said it was all a mistake. "When Lord Marley left London for Madrid on July 5, Miss Wilkinson went with him as they both intended to address several political meetings there. After a short stay in Madrid, Lord Marley left to join Mr. Hamilton and the rest of the party in Marseilles on July 12 but Miss Wilkinson remained behind."

## "We Want Peace"

When asked what they hoped to achieve, Mr. Hamilton said that they had come with the sole object of finding out the way to establish permanent peace in China, for without that, there could be no peace in the Far East. They were all closely connected with China and, knowing conditions as they do, they feel that they will be quite successful.

It will be interesting to note that Mr. Hamilton was born in Shanghai and was a very good friend of the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen. He was associated with the Kuomintang in its early days and says he is looking forward to again meeting Madame Sun, for whom he cherishes a particular veneration and respect. While in Paris, Mr. Hamilton said he met Mr. T. V. Soong who was on his way from London to Rome then.

## Armaments for China

At this stage, Mr. Hamilton mentioned that he had with him, the figures of the quantity of armaments exported from England to China. He was sorry he could not give the figures at the present time, but they would be revealed at the Conference, and when they are revealed, the speaker added, "the whole world will be astonished."

## Japan and China.

"Speaking of the Sino-Japanese situation, Mr. Hamilton said:

"I do not consider that Japan is alone responsible for the war danger in the Far East. The present state of anarchy in China seems to me much more dangerous if it is allowed to develop on its present lines. Much as I disapprove, for obvious reasons, of the Manchukuo invasion, I cannot but admit that Japan has only put in to practice—with perhaps less hypocrisy—what all imperialist powers tacitly approve of."

"I was particularly surprised to receive letters from friends in America hoping that I would be careful to localise the blame for the events in the Far East which my correspondent attributed entirely to Japan."

"In my replies to these letters, I could not resist pointing out that what Japan is doing to Manchukuo corresponds, more or less, to what the United States of America has been doing in Nicaragua."

"Still, admitting as we do the right of all nations and peoples to decide their own destinies, we cannot but attach some blame to Japan. On the other hand, we are sufficient realists in politics not to ignore foolishly a *fait accompli*. Our task is not to criticise the past but to try to establish a basis for a lasting peace in the future."

A small girl was entertaining her mother's visitor. "How is your little girl?" she asked.

"I am sorry to say, my dear, that I haven't a little girl."

"How is your little boy?"

"I haven't a little boy, either."

"Then what are yours?"



**THREE CAPTIVES  
RELEASED****GOOD WORK BY  
LIEUT. TSAI**

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 15.  
Three captives taken by pirates from the China Merchants steamer, Yu Shun, were set free by Canton marines near Swatow. On seeing the approach of the Government forces, the pirate captors ran away, leaving the three captives behind.

Lieut. Commander Tsai Ting Hui, who was responsible for locating the captives, reported the matter to the Canton naval authorities and requested that the three men be taken back to their native villages. Their homes are in Swatow, Poon Yue County and Kwangtung, respectively.

The Yu Shun, running between Canton and Shanghai via ports, was boarded by pirates on July 31 when she was some distance out of Swatow harbour. The vessel was ransacked, and about seven passengers were taken for ransom. She was then allowed to continue her voyage to Shanghai.

The whereabouts of the other captives are unknown.

**BLOW TO CANTON  
MERCHANTS****CHINESE FOOD NOT  
WANTED IN MANILA**

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 15.  
A movement is afoot in the Philippine Islands to ban the imports of food from Kwangtung and other parts of China on the ground that the edibles are not of sanitary condition, according to information received by merchants here from Manila.

This prospective legislation is watched with considerable interest in commercial circles, there being doubt whether the prohibition is general or special. Canton business men declare that some of the Chinese food may not be sanitary as measured by Philippine standard, but certainly there is no objection to groundnuts and vegetable products.

The Bureau of Inspecting and Testing Commercial Commodities is examining all tinned goods before they are allowed to be exported.

It is feared that if the ban is passed, Canton merchants will be adversely affected. Because of the large Chinese population in the Islands, there is a considerable export of food from Canton to Manila.

**FIFTH PACIFIC  
CONFERENCE****SIR W. SHENTON AMONG  
DELEGATES**

BANFF, ALBERTA, Aug. 6.  
NAVAL preparedness in the Pacific, tariffs, trade restrictions, international commodity agreements, shipping subsidies, Philippine independence and the United States Exclusion Act against Orientals are among the questions before the Fifth Conference of the Institute of Pacific Relations which opened here yesterday.

The Conference is attended by representatives of all countries interested in the Pacific, including Sir William Shenton of Hong Kong and Mr. H. G. Woodhead of Shanghai.

Sir Robert Falconer, presiding, expressed confidence for the success of the work of the Conference. Referring to American and Canadian relations, he said that any attack on the Dominion would be likely to result in giving any non-British people a footing in Canada, and almost would certainly bring United States action on the side of Canada.

lated by experts, and over 4,000 questions were answered. Mr. Justice Maugham held that the patent was a valid one, but that it had not been infringed by the defendant company. They were given four-fifths of the general costs and the plaintiffs one-fifth.

**YELLOW RIVER  
IN FLOOD****CONSIDERABLE CONCERN  
IN SHANTUNG**

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Peiping, Aug. 15.  
There is considerable concern over the flood situation in Shantung, where the Yellow River has flooded seven hsien but it is hoped the floods will not extend much further as Kaifeng reports the river is dropping. However, vast areas in North Honan and West Shantung are inundated and the damage is most considerable.—Reuter.

**"RED" LEADER  
KILLED****COMMUNISTS ROUTED  
NEAR KWUNMUNLING**

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 15.  
Following a fierce engagement between the Cantonese troops and the Communists near Kwunmunling, "Lieutenant General" Miao Kimping, a divisional commander of the Red army, was killed by shrapnel. The battle lasted five hours and resulted in the death of 500 Communists.

Being driven by a joint drive of the government troops in Fukien and Kwangtung, the Communists are making an attempt to capture Fuchow as a prelude to storm Nanchang, headquarters of General Chiang Kai Shek, chairman of the Nanking military commission. Nanking troops under the command of General Chen Chong are billeted at Fuchow, and the Reds are taking advantage of the fact that the Nanking forces have not been active during the past three months.

The Communists who were driven out of Lien Chen are in full retreat in the direction of Changting. After a short rest there, the Reds are hoping to make a dash to attack northern Fukien.—Central Press.

**ALLEGED INCOMPETENT  
OFFICIALS**

Canton, Aug. 15.  
Several officials are due for public trial tomorrow. They are Lee Shue Hung, county commissioner of finance Yung Yuen county and Ho Kwok On, former chief of police of the same county. Another defendant is Tan Yi Chiung who is charged with alleged extortion of money.

**OCCUPATION OF  
DOLONOR****CHINESE NOTE TO  
JAPANESE COLONEL**

Peiping, Aug. 15.  
It is officially stated that the Military Council in consequence of the occupation of Dolonor by Manchukuo troops has sent a letter to Colonel Shibayama, Japanese Military Attaché, pointing out that Feng had now left Charhar and requesting Col. Shibayama to communicate with the Government Kwantung Army asking that they observe the Tangku Armistice Agreement and withdraw from Dolonor.—Reuter.

**WIRELESS PATENT  
ACTION FAILS****BILL OF £30,000 FOR COSTS**

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, Aug. 1.  
In a reserved judgment given in the Chancery Division, Mr. Justice Maugham dismissed a patent action the costs of which had exceeded £30,000.

Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Company (Ltd.) sought to recover damages from Philips Lamps (Ltd.) for alleged infringement of a patent or improvements in wireless receiving sets. The patent expired in 1929.

Philips Lamps (Ltd.) denied infringement, and challenged the validity of the patent on the grounds of prior publication, common general knowledge, lack of subject-matter, and ambiguity. The user of the invention was stated to be enormous, hundreds of thousands of sets embodying it having been sold. During the trial, which occupied fourteen days, the results of numerous tests were revealed. (Continued on previous column.)

**CANTON LEADS  
THE WAY****ECONOMIC CONFERENCE  
TO BE HELD!**

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 15.  
In view of the financial stringency in the money market, the Provincial Department of Finance has agreed with the suggestion of the Canton Chamber of Commerce that an economic conference should be held to tide over the crisis.

Restricted circulation of money has shaken the economic foundation of Canton and brings about business depression. While the coming economic conference will discuss financial and commercial questions, the Provincial Department of Finance will first form an agenda before the meeting can be held. This is to avoid delicate matters drifting outside the scope of investigation.

In official and commercial circles, it is felt that some remedy is necessary to prevent the situation from becoming worse, because already several Chinese banks have suspended business owing to insolvency and that more native banks will close unless the money market is stabilised. The conference will be held about the end of this month.

The present financial crisis is due to the suspension of funds remitted from overseas Chinese and the prohibition by the provincial treasury in the issue of bills of exchange and promissory notes on the part of the native banks. It was exclusively learned to-day. On account of world-wide depression, Chinese abroad are in dire predicament, much less in a position to remit their savings to Canton. Hence the local market is short of an abundant flow of wealth from overseas.

**DEATH SENTENCE  
FOR TWO INDIANS****SEQUEL TO TERRORIST  
CRIME****CHITTAGONG, BENGAL,  
Aug. 15.**

THE raid on the Chittagong armoury in 1930 and the outrages resulting therefrom, including the death of Captain Cameron of the Gurkhas, during the round up of Terrorists had its sequel when two Indians, Suryyassen and Tarakeswar Dasider were sentenced to death on a charge of conspiracy against the King.

A woman, conspirator, Kalpani Dutt who, when rearrested after absconding, was wearing male clothes, was sentenced to transportation for life.

Suryyassen, an ex-schoolmaster of Chittagong College, was described by the Court as the master mind responsible for the wide-spread conspiracy.

Even a price of £800 on his head had failed to induce anyone to betray him during a two-years' detective hunt.—Reuter.

**PRINCE GEORGE WITH  
EX-SERVICE MEN****ENTERTAINMENT AT EPSOM  
GRAND STAND**

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, July 18.  
Prince George this afternoon visited an entertainment given to disabled ex-service men at Epsom Grand Stand, and after staying an hour went to the Epsom and Swell Cottage Hospital to open the new X-ray and massage departments.

At the Grand Stand 250 men from a number of hospitals were entertained under the auspices of the local branch of the "Let Us Forget" Association by the racing community of Epsom, Mr. Stanley Wootton being the leader. The men were entertained to a meal and a concert given by special artists. The programme also included a race on the Epsom racecourse, in which the competitors were the hounds of the Mid-Surrey drag.

They were started from the Derby starting post and finished in front of the Grand stand, the hounds following an artificial scent. Prince George afterwards made a short speech, in which he said that the War seemed a long way off, and in the meantime a younger generation had grown up and might be excused if it was hard for them to understand the strain and stress the men present went through. On behalf of the men he would like to convey to Mr. Stanley Wootton and his helpers grateful thanks for all they had done.

Prince George then left the racecourse and proceeded to the Cottage Hospital, where he opened and inspected the new X-ray and Massage Departments, which have been erected at a cost of £2,750. He also visited the wards, speaking to each of the patients. Among those presented to Prince George at the hospital was Mrs. Raddcliffe Walters, who was present when the hospital was opened in 1929 by the Duchess of Teck.

**CONCESSION TO  
FARMERS****NEW DECREE SIGNED BY  
STALIN**

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Moscow, Aug. 15.  
Members of collective farms henceforth will be able to possess their own cows following a decree signed by Stalin and Molotov, assigning 35 million roubles for supplying a million head of cattle.



M. Stalin, Secretary General of the Communist Party in Russia.

This represents a concession to collective farmers who were disgruntled by forced collectivisation and slaughtered and ate their own cows rather give them to the Soviet.—Reuter.

**SILVER MARKET**

(From Our Own Correspondent)

LONDON, Aug. 15.  
FOLLOWING ARE THE SILVER QUOTATIONS ON THE LONDON MARKET TO-DAY:

	Aug. 15	Aug. 14
SPOT	172 1/2	173 1/2
FORWARD	174 1/2	177 1/2
THE LONDON ON NEW YORK		
CROSS RATE TO-DAY WAS:	£1=	\$4.40 1/2

**NETHERLANDS' BANK  
DISCOUNT RATE****Reduced To Three  
Per Cent.**

The Hague, Aug. 15.  
The Netherlands' Bank discount rate has been reduced from 3 1/2 per cent. to 3 per cent. owing to easier money conditions, thus signifying that the artificial conditions prevailing a month ago have disappeared.—Reuter.

**NEW MACHINE FOR THE  
MOLLISONS****LORD WAKEFIELD'S  
OFFER**

(Special Air-Mail Service)

LONDON, Aug. 1.  
Lord Wakefield has telegraphed to Mr. J. A. Mollison in New York an offer to provide him with funds for a new aeroplane. Mr. W. Courtenay, Mr. Mollison's consultant in England, has advised Mr. Mollison by cable to come to an early decision.

Mr. Courtenay stated yesterday that if a new machine were required it could be built and shipped to New York in time to enable the attempt to make a long-distance record flight back across the Atlantic and on to Baghdad by the end of September. Delay beyond that time was not advisable owing to the conditions over the Atlantic. The cost of a new machine, including shipment to America, would be about £4,000.

"Mr. Mollison," he continued, "is probably awaiting final reports on the damage to the Seafarer before advising Lord Wakefield as to whether the plane is repairable or whether a new machine will be necessary. It may be taken for granted that Mr. Mollison would want a British machine, and would like a Dragon-Moth of exactly the same type and range as Seafarer."

Broadcast Spoiled.  
An attempt by the B.B.C. last night to relay a broadcast interview with Mr. and Mrs. Mollison from America was spoiled by atmospheric conditions. Listeners heard only a few words, to the accompaniment of shrieks and buzzings.

Mr. Mollison was heard to say: "We have been made a very generous offer by Lord Wakefield to give us a new aeroplane." After several inaudible remarks he said: "My plans are still quite indefinite." Mrs. Mollison said that perhaps they would be able to carry out everything as intended in regard to the flight. She was describing the Atlantic flight in fog over the sea when the relay was cut off.

**WILL OF BARONESS  
SEAFORTH****WINDFALL TO MANY  
CHARITIES**

(From Our Special Correspondent)

London, Aug. 15.  
A huge fortune has been bequeathed to hospitals and charitable institutions by the will of the late Baroness Seaforth, who died on February 17, last. She was a daughter of the late millionaire Edward Steinkopf.

The German Red Cross gets £267,000; Dr. Barnardo's Home £30,000; The London Hospital £20,000; sixteen hospitals and charities receive £10,000 each, while twenty-four receive £5,000 each.

The Seaforth Sanatorium, at Bruhan, Scotland, receives £60,000.

At the outbreak of the war in 1914 the late Baroness was arrested in Germany as a spy but was released and came to England where she was decorated for charitable war-work.—Reuter.

**THE LATE SIR  
JOHN ELLERMAN****WILL PROVED AT  
£17,000,000**

London, Aug. 15.  
It is understood that the Will of the late Sir John Ellerman has been proved, provisionally, at over £17,000,000, consisting mainly of cash and Government securities.—Reuter.

**BIG WIRELESS  
EXHIBITION****Opens To-Day At  
Olympia**

LONDON, Aug. 14.  
It is estimated that nearly £2,000,000 worth of exhibits are on show in the Wireless Exhibition which opens at Olympia to-day.

A feature of the Exhibition is the Broadcasting Theatre, with sitting accommodation for 2,500 people.

The show will be moved to Glasgow and Manchester after the London run is concluded.—British Wireless Service.

**CHINESE LEGATION IS  
ANNOYED****GENERALS "BUM FOO" AND  
"YO-YO" AT MILITARY  
DISPLAY**

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, Aug. 1.  
The Chinese Legation intends to make representations to the Foreign Office against incidents in the Portsmouth Navy Week display and in a military exercise at Bordon which are considered by the Legation to show a lack of courtesy to China.

In a brigade exercise at Bordon the scheme, it is stated, includes an attack on Chinese bandits commanded by Generals with such names as Bum Foo and Yo-Yo.

A verbal protest has already been made by the Legation against the description of a pirate junk in the Portsmouth Navy Week as a "Chinese junk."

"The Admiralty has had the word 'Chinese' struck out of a Legation officer told a reporter. 'But we think it is regrettable that it was ever used. The occurrence at Bordon is of the same kind.'"

"These things do not increase understanding between countries. They indicate lack of consideration at a time when people are trying to understand each other better." On inquiry at the War Office it was learned that the exercise of an infantry brigade at Bordon is a command exercise, the details of which are not necessarily notified to the War Office. The exercise is not a public spectacle, and the scheme is circulated only to the officers concerned.

A lady engaged an Irish cook, purchased apples and plums, and requested the cook to make tart. Entering the kitchen next day she saw six tarts, each bearing the letters "T. A." in icing. The lady complimented her servant on her skill in pastry-cooking, and inquired the meaning of the letters. "Well, ma'am," said Bridget, "I thought you might be asked up, so I put three with 'T. A.' means 'Tis Apples' and the other three with 'T. A.' means 'Taint Apples!'"—Whitely Standa Chronicle.

**SHANGHAI TRUNK  
MURDER CASE****TRIAL MAY BE HELD AT  
MACAO**

(From Our Special Correspondent)

SHANGHAI, Aug. 15.  
THE trial of the Portuguese brothers, Jose Euluis, dos Remedios, and Jose Patricia, dos Remedios, arrested and charged with the homicide of a Chinese female in the Hongkew district, will take place in Macao, if the brothers are committed.

Both men were educated at St. Francis Xavier's College, Shanghai, where they had a fine record.

Patricia's mental diet during the past two years is reported to have consisted mainly of thrills of the penny-dreadful type.

The brothers will be formally charged at the Portuguese Consular Court at 11 a.m. to-day, while a preliminary hearing of the case will take place in a week's time.

The murder alleged to have been committed by the two Portuguese is one of the most horrible in the annals of Shanghai crime. The body of a Chinese woman, a graduate of the Canton Middle School, was found with the hands bound with rope in a black trunk on board the Shanghai Maru, when the vessel arrived in Kook from Shanghai. Police suspicion at first fell upon a Russian, but later the authorities allegedly traced the crime to the Remedios brothers, with whom Mary Chua was said to have been living.—Reuter.

**GERMAN-SWISS  
INCIDENT**

Basle, Aug. 15.  
The Swiss authorities are concerned over the arrest and imprisonment by German Customs officials, of two Swiss picknickers while on a small island on the Rhine.

The Germans claim that the island is German territory and allege that the picknickers are Communists.—Reuter.

**OIL FIRMS TO WORK IN  
HARMONY**

New York, Aug. 15.  
The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey and the Socony-Vacuum Corporation have made reciprocal arrangements, according to the New York Sun, for handling foreign trade, particularly in the Far East.—Reuter.

**DUTCH TIN FIRMS  
AMALGAMATE**

The Hague, Aug. 15.  
The shareholders of the Singkep Tin Company have authorised their directors to conclude an agreement with the Billiton Tin Company, under which the latter take over the Singkep works.—Reuter.

**AMERICAN FARM  
PROBLEMS****COMMITTEE COMPLETES  
COMPROMISE PLAN**

Washington, Aug. 15.  
A special Cabinet committee has completed a compromise plan under which only part of the \$200,000,000 benefit payment to wheat and cotton farmers for curtailing production will be withheld on account of their indebtedness to the Government.

The recommendations will be submitted to Mr. Roosevelt to-day. Details have not been disclosed, but it is learned that those farmers who are able to pay part of the sums due to the Government will have the amount deducted from their benefits.

Meanwhile, intensive pressure is being brought to induce the Government to stabilise farm prices.—Reuter.

**UNEMPLOYED IN  
BRITAIN****FEWER WORKLESS IN  
LONDON**

London, Aug. 14.  
IN the southern Counties of England, including the London area, the percentage of unemployment continues relatively low. In the whole area of Greater London, with a population of over 5,000,000, the average of unemployment is 10.6 per cent. of the insured population.

Within the narrow limit of the City of London itself, the figure is 2.9 per cent., which is one of the lowest in Britain. Only in some villages and seaside resorts including Clacton-on-Sea, is the percentage of unemployed lower.

The highest percentage of unemployment is in some of the smaller textile manufacturing towns. The following are some of the manufacturing cities:

Birmingham, 12.3.  
Manchester, 15.4.  
Liverpool, 22.2.  
Leeds, 19.6.  
Sheffield, 22.6.  
Bradford, 13.9.  
Glasgow, 29.7.—British Wireless Service.

"Not only is one man's expense another man's income, but one man's debt is another man's credit."—Henry Littleidge Norton, a U.S. economist.

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## ENGLAND WINS

WEST INDIES GO DOWN  
FIGHTING

London, August 15.  
England beat the West Indies by an innings and 17 in the Third Test and have thus won the rubber.

So badly did the tourists fare that they were 22 runs behind with only two wickets in hand when play was resumed to-day.

The sky was overcast and the wicket showed no signs of wear when play was resumed, in the presence of barely 100 people.

Achong and Martindale, the overnight not outs, resumed the West Indies innings but the former had not added to his score when he was caught by Ames off Marriott.

193/8. The end soon came for Griffith, the last man in was caught and bowled by Marriott for a duck, thus leaving England winners by the comfortable margin of an innings and 17 runs.

The scores were—

England, 1st innings	312
West Indies, 1st innings	100
West Indies, 2nd innings	50
C. A. Coach, l.b.w., b. Marriott	50
L. Barrow, c. Ames, b. Clark	10
C. Headley, c. Ames, b. Clark	12
O. C. da Costa, b. Marriott	35
B. J. Sealey, b. Marriott	12
C. A. Merry, c. Barnett, b. Nichols	11
G. C. Grant, c. Ames, b. Nichols	14
E. Achong, c. Ames, b. Marriott	22
V. A. Valentine, c. Barnett, b. Marriott	0
E. A. Martindale, not out	0
G. Griffiths, c. and b. Marriott	0
Extras	8
Total	195

Bowling.

Clark	2 for 54
Nichols	2 " 51
Marriott	6 " 59

## ACHONG FOR ROCHEDALE

Achong, the West Indies Chinese slow bowler, has signed professional terms for Rochdale, of the Central Lancashire Cricket League for next season.—Reuter.

NINTH EXTRA  
RACE MEETINGPROGRAMME FOR  
SEPTEMBER 23

The programme for the Ninth Extra Race Meeting, at Happy Valley on Saturday, September 23, is as follows:

- 1.—Big Wave Handicap: One Mile.  
Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China ponies, griffins of this season, that have won less than \$3,000 in stakes. Entrance \$5.
- 2.—Junk Bay Handicap (First Section): Six Furlongs.  
Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China ponies, "D" and "B" classes. Entrance \$5.
- 3.—Corroborree Handicap: One Mile.  
Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$200. For Australian ponies that have not won more than \$1,000 in stakes since 1st January, 1933. Entrance \$5.

- 4.—Leland Bay Handicap: From the 2 Mile Post Once Round and In (about 1 Mile 171 Yards).  
Winner \$500. Second \$275. Third \$175. For China ponies, "A" and "B" classes. Entrance \$5.
- 5.—Subscription Griffins' Challenge Cup: 1 1/2 Miles.  
Value \$1,000. For China ponies, subscription griffins of this Club of this season. Weight for inches as per scale. To be won two years consecutively by ponies the bond fide property of the same owner or owners. Winner to receive \$800 and 70 per cent. Second \$500 and 50 per cent. Third \$300 and 10 per cent. of the Entrance Fees until the Cup is finally won, when the second pony will receive 75 per cent. and the third pony 25 per cent. of the Entrance Fees in addition to the place money. Entrance \$10.

- 6.—Picnic Bay Stakes: From the 2 Mile Post Once Round and In (about 1 Mile 171 Yards).  
Winner \$400. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China ponies, "E" Class. Weight 150 lbs. 1 lb. penalty for every \$200 or part thereof won in stakes since 1st January, 1933. To be ridden by jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. Jockeys, 2 lbs. penalty for each race won; maximum penalty 10 lbs. No whips or spurs allowed. Penalties accumulated. Entrance \$5.
- 7.—Junk Bay Handicap (Second Section): Six Furlongs.  
Winner \$450. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China ponies, "D" and "B" classes, that have won less than \$1,000 in stakes since 1st January, 1933. Entrance \$5.
- 8.—Tweed Island Bay Handicap: One Mile.  
Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$200. (Continued on next Col.)

1933-1934 FOOT-  
BALL SEASONENTRIES RECEIVED BY  
H.K.F.C.

With the exception of receiving entries of teams for the 1933-1934 season there was nothing of public interest at the monthly meeting of the Hongkong Football Council yesterday.

In the absence of Major C. M. Manners, the chairman, who is away from the Colony, Mr. T. A. Mitchell presided, and those present were Messrs. G. T. May (Hon. Secretary), J. S. Logan (Assistant Hon. Secretary), W. L. Alexander (treasurer), Capt. Elliott Heywood, Capt. Fleetwood, Lt. Tolington, Messrs. J. Ralston, A. R. Hughes, F. H. Barnes, A. Goldenberg, H. K. Lee and Inspector James.

Among the entries there were three new teams, the Young Indians, the R.A.M.C. and the East Lancashire Regiment which is at present in Shanghai.

The teams in the first division remained as before, the only addition being the East Lancashire Regiment. Only ten teams entered the second Division as compared with twelve last year, the absentees being St. Joseph's, Taung Yin, Eastern and Ewo. With regard to the last named, although they have not yet signified their intention of joining, it is more than probable that they would do so, as they are affiliated to the Hongkong Football Association.

However, two new teams have entered this division—the Young Indians and the East Lancashire Regiment.

In the third division, two old teams did not rejoin while two new teams entered. The old teams were St. Joseph's and the Taikoo, who were at the bottom of the league last year, while the new teams are the R.A.M.C. and the East Lancashire.

The following are the entries:

## First Division

- Royal Artillery
- Royal Navy
- Kowloon Football Club
- Club de Recreo
- Police Recreation Club
- Chinese Athletics
- South Wales Borderers
- St. Joseph's
- South China
- Hongkong Football Club
- Lincolns
- East Lancashire

## Third Division

- Royal Air Force
- R.A.S.C.
- Royal Engineers
- Radio Sports Club
- Club de Recreo
- Chinese Athletics
- South Wales Borderers
- South China
- Hongkong Football Club
- Young Indians
- Lincolns
- East Lancashire
- University

## DAVIES CUP

BELGIUM BEAT  
SWEDEN.

Stockholm, Aug. 15.  
Lacroix won his remaining singles match yesterday to give Belgium a 3 to 2 win over Sweden in the Second Qualifying Round in the 1934 Davis Cup contest.

Results as cabled by Reuter were—

Oestberg (Sweden) beat Van Zuylen 6-3, 6-4, 6-3.

Lacroix and Debrorman (Belgium) beat Oestberg and Ramberg 5-7, 7-5, 7-6, 6-2.

Results.

Lacroix (Belgium) beat Oestberg 7-5, 6-3, 5-7, 8-6.

Ramberg (Sweden) beat Van Zuylen 6-2, 6-4, 6-3.—Reuter.

LADIES TENNIS IN  
AMERICA.

New York, Aug. 15.  
The opening of the American National Woman's Lawn Tennis Championships at Forest Hills was postponed yesterday owing to rain. The official opening will be to-day.—Reuter.

\$150. For China ponies, "C" Class. Entrance \$5.

9.—Clear Water Bay Stakes: Six Furlongs.

Winner \$400. Second \$200. Third \$100.

For China ponies, subscription Griffins of this Club that arrived in Hong Kong on 2nd January, 1933.

Weight for moles as per scale. Winners at Race Meetings of this Club. Entrance \$5.

Entries close at noon on Thursday, 14th September, 1933.

## Local Sports Reviewed

(By "NOMAD.")

## LAWN BOWLS

The week-end league results finds the Bowling Green still at the head of the senior division with the Craigengower G.C. close on their heels, being two points behind, with a game in hand. The Bowling Green will have to travel to Taikoo and it is not likely that they will be beaten. Assuming they win the match, the Bowling Green will finish the season at the head of the league. If Craigengower should win their return fixture with Civil Service, on the latter's ground, they have one last game to play against Recreation at Happy Valley. A victory in both matches would place them on an equal footing with the Bowling Green, and a play-off would be necessary. From present indications it seems that such a play-off is more than likely.

## SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Further progress has been made in the Singles Championship (Lawn Bowls), and the most interesting result was the defeat on Monday of Cavanagh by Luz. Cavanagh proved to be at the top of his form in his game against Omar and although the latter lost through an error towards the end of the game, great credit was due Cavanagh for accounting for Omar and he was fully expected to put up a good fight against Luz. However, Luz's brilliant play on Monday overshadowed his opponent and it looks very much as if the Portuguese player will get near the top this time.

## VOLUNTEER SPORTS

There was a large and enthusiastic gathering at the V.R.C. on Saturday when the Volunteer aquatics were held. It was the most successful swimming gala held this year and the gathering of talent was very imposing. It was refreshing to see the close finishes and I am wondering whether Donn, by sticking to his training can turn out this season to be a formidable factor in this year's aquatics. L. Rosa Pereira is still the star turn among the Volunteers and one would be justified in predicting that he will win the Harbour Race besides collecting a few other championships.

## AQUATICS

I am officially informed that the Committee of the Victoria Recreation Club has decided to hold the Colony's Long Plunge Championship and Throwing the Polo Ball on September 2nd when they are holding their night fête. These events are now omitted from the regular programme of Interport contests, but in spite of that, it is felt that the local championships for these two events should continue to be held for the present. There are sure to be a good number of competitors in both events.

## "WILD LIFE"

Among the "A" Class ponies to figure in the second half of this year's racing, there is one which definitely will not take part. I refer to Wild Life the mare which foaled in the early part of this year. The animal is still very weak I understand, in spite of the very good care that is being taken of her and of her foal. Many are wondering whether Wild Life will ever figure as prominently as she did before foaling and it is to be hoped that this pony, which was undoubtedly among the "top-notchers" in the Colony will recover completely and figure prominently in racing again. Incidentally the mare and foal can be seen every afternoon, sunning themselves at the Valley and when the little one grows up he, if allowed to race in Hong Kong, will know every inch of the ground here. He is a sturdy little fellow and from present indications there is no fear of his not surviving the climate and other handicaps attributed to Hong Kong.

## THE TRACK

The race track, thanks to the untiring efforts of those in charge is now in as perfect condition as one could wish it to be and the turf everywhere has grown beautifully. A good deal of new turf was laid and by the time the racing commences again we should have a track with a surface like a billiard table. The ugly patch at the three furlong post appears to have received special attention and is now quite as good as part of the course. The intermittent rain during the summer, coupled with the absence of really heavy rain has helped considerably and if the course is not badly torn up during the "extreme" in the second half we should have excellent turf for the annual meeting in 1934.

## BILLIARDS

The finale at the Soldiers' Club on Saturday between Colour Sergeant Jarman and Staff Sergeant Clark was a laborious affair and the match found both players off their true form. It was a pity that this should have been so, as Jarman when in form can put up a pretty exhibition. Incidentally, the Portuguese Company won the only open billiards event they could enter for, and it would seem that they are by far the most athletic group in the local Volunteers, being prominent in aquatics, billiards, shooting, and athletics.

## INTERNATIONAL CRICKET

We have in Hong Kong, international lawn bowls and international football and perhaps when the cricket season comes round this year, the powers that be, will consider an international cricket tournament. England, Scotland, Wales, India and Portugal are sure to enter and between the University, Craigengower and one or two other Clubs, China should be able to muster a good side. What about giving this idea a trial. Then there are our friends from the Antipodes and if a few all-day matches can be arranged on Sundays for this series, we might have some fine cricket this winter.

## TENNIS

By their victory over United Services in the "B" Division and their win over I.R.C. in the "C" the Chinese Recreation Club have practically made themselves sure of all four Divisions of the Tennis League. In the first two Divisions they have only a few matches left to play and these are not against strong opponents, but in the "C" they have still one or two worthy foemen to encounter.

The U.S.R.C.-C.R.C. contest at King's Park on Thursday was a very hard-fought affair and worthy of the occasion. For the Chinese it meant that by a win they would make themselves virtual Champions of the "B", but if the United Services had won it would have been a big set-back for the Chinese.

The game was played in an atmosphere of tension, the importance of the occasion affecting some of the players, and at the beginning there was some rather ragged tennis. The home team were handicapped by the absence of F. A. Redmond and R. A. Tottenham but they put up a fine fight. Lieutenants Stocker and Waring in particular played very well, but the Chinese as a whole were too steady for their opponents and in the end won a most exciting match by the odd set in nine.

One would not like to say that the presence of Tottenham and Redmond would have reversed the result, but it would at least have made the Chinese fight much harder to win. I think, however, that if the Services had been at full force they would have proved victorious.

## C.R.C. "C" ADVANCE

At the same time that the Chinese "B" were beating United Services, their "C" team, playing the Indians, refused to allow any upset, and the match resulted as expected, the Chinese winning easily. The C.R.C. "C" have yet to meet Recreation and the Hong Kong Cricket Club and if they beat either one of these opponents it can safely be said that they will have won all the four Shields.

## TWO "A" DIVISION

## SURPRISES.

This week there were two matches in the premier Division which, although they have no effect on the League standings at all were nevertheless interesting in that they both provided surprise results.

The Indian R.C. visited Kowloon with a much-depleted team but it was thought they would still be capable of forcing a win. K.C.C. however, saw their chance and just scrambled home by the odd set.

In the other game, Recreation "A" met C.R.C. "B" at King's Park and gave them a beating. The Portuguese have quite a good "A" Division team but it was expected that the more experienced Chinese combination could beat them.

Sunday School teacher: "Now, all of you who want to go to Heaven stand up." Rob McVittie remained seated.

Teacher, surprised: "What's wrong, Rob? Why do you desire to go to Heaven?"

Rob, glancing at the stand-ups: "No, Miss, no, along w' you crowd."

SURPRISE IN "B"  
DIVISION TENNIS

## C.S.C.C. HOLD S.C.A.

A big surprise was provided in the "B" Division of the local Tennis League yesterday when Civil Service entertained South China and managed to hold them to a draw. Right up to the end of the game the result was open but in the last set Barrow and McDougall forced a draw against K. M. Chan and C. P. Ip and saved the match.

In the other game U.S.R.C. showed that they were not downhearted by their defeat at the hands of the C.R.C. when they went to Pokfulam and trounced the Graduates by 8½ sets to 1.

Results follow:—

## Graduates v. U.S.R.C.

At Pokfulam the Graduates Association proved no match for U.S.R.C. who beat them by 8½ sets to 1.

Scores:—

Dr. Samy and W. Gittins (Graduates):—	
drew with H. Hancock and E. Grimble	6-6
lost to P. Cannon and C. J. Barry	2-6
lost to H. J. Stocker and M. Waring	1-6
Dr. Sopher and Y. L. Pao (Graduates):—	
lost to Hancock and Grimble	1-6
lost to Cannon and Barry	3-6
lost to Stocker and Waring	2-6
Dr. Sze and Dr. Lien (Graduates):—	
lost to Hancock and Grimble	4-6
lost to Cannon and Barry	1-6
lost to Stocker and Waring	3-6

## C.S.C.C. v. C.S.A.A.

At Happy Valley, Civil Service played a drawn game with South China.

Scores:—

Bickford and Fowler (C.S.C.C.):—	
drew with K. M. Chan and C. P. Ip	6-6
lost to K. F. Lui and H. K. Ho	0-6
beat F. N. Wong and T. K. Seung	6-4
Barrow and McDougall (C.S.C.C.):—	
drew with K. M. Chan and C. P. Ip	6-6
beat K. F. Lui and H. K. Ho	6-2
drew with F. N. Wong and T. K. Seung	6-6
Wilson and Tod (O.S.C.C.):—	
lost to K. M. Chan and C. P. Ip	1-6
lost to K. F. Lui and H. K. Ho	1-6
beat F. N. Wong and T. K. Seung	6-3

## U.S. BASEBALL

NEW RECORD SET BY  
FOXX

New York, Aug. 14.  
BASEBALL history was made by Jimmy Foxx, the Philadelphia Athletics hitter to-day, when, against Cleveland, he scored nine runs with a single, a double, a triple, a home and homer with all bases filled.

An exhibition game has been arranged to take place on October 2 between the New York Yankees and the Pittsburgh Pirates at Pittsburgh.

Yesterday's scores as cabled by Reuter were:—

## American League.

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	6	10	2
Boston	5	13	1
(Gehring homered for Detroit).			
Cleveland	5	10	1
Philadelphia	11	13	1
(McNair and Foxx homered for Philadelphia).			

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Gentleman (who is visiting, to little boy of the house): "And why won't you let me take you on the river in a nice boat?"  
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## RESTAURANT KEEPER FINED

### LIQUOR SOLD TO MARINES

Wong Po, proprietor of the Nam Fong Restaurant, Temple Street, was summoned before Mr. Butters at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday morning for selling liquor to persons other than Chinese on July 17, and for failing to close his restaurant at the regulation hour.

The case was outlined by Divisional Inspector Booker who said that while on duty on July 17 at about 2.50 a.m. Sgt. Pennell was attracted to the restaurant by the sound of a police whistle. He made for the spot and found some marines in altercation with foks of the shop. The latter told him that the marines had had some food and three bottles of beer and refused to pay.

Mr. H. L. Dennis for the defendant, said that the marines had gone into the shop with a Chinese whom it was understood was to be the host. They were not there as customers but as the guests of the Chinese.

His Worship imposed a fine of \$25 on the first count and cautioned defendant on the second.

## HAZARA SINGH AWARDED DAMAGES

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Q: Was the charge brought by the Defendant through his Solicitor against the Plaintiff at the Magistracy on December 24, 1932, to the effect that between the 16th day of October, 1932, and the 13th day of November, 1932, with intent to defraud his creditors, the Plaintiff did make a transfer of certain promissory notes to one Ganga Singh contrary to section 78 (a) sub-section (b) of the Larceny Ordinance No. 5 of 1905, warranted by the evidence disclosed in these proceedings.

A: Yes.  
Q: If the answer to question No. 1 is "No"—did the Defendant Sawan (a) bring this charge with malice believing it to be untrue or (b) bring this charge believing it to be true.

A: The question does not arise.  
Q: If he believed it true was he reasonable in so believing?

A: No answer.  
Q: Did the defendant produce evidence before the Magistrate in support of the two charges laid?

A: Yes.  
Q: Did the Defendant Sawan bring all or any of the three above charges with an indirect object—that is for some other purpose than that of a criminal prosecution?

A: Yes.  
Q: Did the Plaintiff Hazara Singh on November 13, 1932, leave the Colony with the intention of evading his just debts?

A: That is a point on which we do not agree. Four juries answers "Yes" and three "No."  
Q: Special damages?

A: Items 1, 2 and 3, \$125, \$250 and \$138 respectively.  
Q: General damages?

A: \$2,000.  
His Lordship thanked the jury for the attention they had given to the very difficult case and said he would recommend their exemption for two years from jury service.

At Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, a Chinese fisherman named Cheng Hing-tai was sentenced to four months hard labour on a charge of possession of 387 counterfeit Hongkong Dollars. Mr. C. Y. Kwan appeared for the defence and in returning a plea of guilty, asked for leniency on the grounds that the man had a young wife and family to support.

## The View From Kowloon Waterfront

### LOOK AGAIN AT A SCENE OF GREAT BEAUTY

(By OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

We have all heard of the beauty of Hong Kong—especially of Hong Kong by night, and as I am one of the many people who have a weakness of that glorious sight, Hong Kong by night from the Kowloon waterfront, I intend writing an article on this subject.

People who have lived in the Colony for years on end do not realise how beautiful the island really is, but to the visitor, Hong Kong by night is a scene never to be forgotten. I was returning from Kowloon the other night, and happened to sit next to two visitors and they were simply raving over the sight before them. I had always realised that this was a remarkable spectacle but I never knew how lovely it really was until then, when these people began to compare it with the other beauty spots of the world.

Take a ferry across the harbour any evening, and give your whole attention to the sight before you. You will find that there is a charm, peculiar to itself, about the whole thing. One cannot describe too fully, but it takes a hold on anybody who appreciates beauty, and this indeed, is a thing of beauty!

The thousands of lights on the waterfront, on the mid-levels, and last of all, high up on the Peak all contribute to this wonderful spectacle. In the central part of the town, the lights are closer to each other than ever, and they are like a fairyland, illuminated with multi-coloured lights. Then we have that part just above the University—this part is compara-

tively dark, for there are not many houses are built in this locality. From a Kowloon point of view, it would be a good thing if some advertising company were to get permission to use this site, as some form of artistic flood-lighting or the equivalent, would lend a different outlook to it.

Going down to the northern part of the island, the Electric Company power station stands out, for it is the only building that way that is flood lit. Further along the bathing sheds also present a gay scene, but this is only during the summer months, for in the winter, they are closed during the evenings.

From Hung Hom Bay, one can, with a pair of binoculars, see the tram cars running down Shaikwan way, and now and again, the powerful headlights of a motor car may also be seen.

Then to go to the other end of the island, West Point is not what it was, and compared to a few years ago, this place may be called dull, but all the same, the lights from the hotels and restaurants go to give the western end of the town a very fascinating appearance.

This is a brief description of what Hong Kong is like at night, as seen from the Kowloon waterfront. No doubt all of us have watched it more times than we can remember, but the next time, you see it, take in all the details, not forgetting the hills which form a fitting background, and then you will realise how wonderful is the island of Hong Kong.

## THE ROMANCE OF HONG KONG AND CANTON

(Continued from page 7.)

months has convinced me that rightly used we have in Rotary one of the most helpful means of dispelling the misunderstanding between the Orient and Occident as it exists in Hong Kong and Canton. In Canton a spirit is being developed which, if it can be continued, augurs well for the future. A group, growing slowly, of men of all nationalities, most of whom would ordinarily be little more than mere acquaintances, are rapidly coming to know, understand, respect and even to like each other, and look forward with genuine relish and interest to their weekly meeting at Rotary. A determined effort at regularity of attendance at meeting, a strict system of good-natured fines, and the use of nicknames have with us seemed necessary and helpful. Undoubtedly your experience in Hong Kong is even happier than ours because you are the older club. We feel definitely that we are advancing in Canton, some degree of international understanding and good-will.

What can Hong Kong Rotary and Canton Rotary do to promote the advancement of understanding and good will as between themselves. If we can devise some means for this we shall certainly be carrying out to a marked degree the 8th Object.

Hong Kong has been more than generous to Canton from the very start. The visit of Sir William Hornell, then your president, and your secretaries, Messrs. Key and Maynard, gave us a big impetus at our inaugural meeting. Your presence at two of our anniversary meetings and your wonderful hospitality to us at the Peninsula Hotel, have made a deep impression.

## SUBMERGED ROCK "FOUND" IN HARBOUR

S.S. "BORNEO'S" LUCKY "DISCOVERY"

The discovery of a submerged rock near Kellet Island which is likely to constitute a danger to ocean-going ships was made quite by accident.

It appears that the s.s. Borneo was, swinging to the tide, when moored to No. 68 buoy and touched the rock. No damage was done to the vessel but it is probable that had she been under way, the results might have been serious.

Up-to-date the spot had been noted as a slight rise on the Harbour chart but divers have got to work and have found that at low water there is only 16 feet of water over the rock. It is understood that the rock will not be removed, at least for the present. It will, however, be marked on the chart.

I have no set programme to offer, nor any special solution. I believe, however, that it is worth the consideration of the Directors of both Clubs, that a special committee toward this end might be appointed by each Club, so that no opportunity might be lost, nor any effort spared that will lead toward better acquaintance and better understanding.

We live in a strange world today and what ever also is or is not certain, nothing can be more sure than that Hong Kong and Canton that know each other more and hold a certain respect, even regard, one for the other, will mean a happier and more prosperous South China at least. I believe that there is no more hopeful avenue toward this achievement than through Rotary. (Applause.)

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## THE KING RACES AT COWES

### BRITANNIA SECOND TO VELSHEDA

(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, August 15.—The royal yacht Britannia, with the King and the Duchess of York on board, came a close second to Mr. W. L. Stephenson's Velshedra in the principal race of the Royal Southampton Yacht Club's regatta at Cowes on Saturday. This was a preliminary to Cowes Week, which opens to-day. Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith's Shamrock V. was third.

It was the first time since the King has been racing at Cowes this season that Britannia has gained a place. The Queen had a clear view of the course from the royal steam yacht Victoria and Albert, anchored in Cowes Roadstead.

Three of the smaller boats in one of the minor events capsized during a sudden squall in the afternoon, but afterwards righted themselves. The Britannia, which was racing at the time, was not affected.

All the races were conducted from the Royal Yacht Squadron at Cowes—premises which house the most exclusive club in the world of society and sport. The start of every event was directed by officials sitting on the famous Terrace, to which no woman and few men have the right of entry while racing is in progress.

The Duchess of York, who was dressed in a white yachting costume, stepped into the launch which conveyed her from the Britannia to the Victoria and Albert after the finish of the race. She was obviously delighted with her experience. The King, too, greatly enjoyed the race. He was looking exceptionally well.

The Queen, who had remained on board the Victoria and Albert with the Duke of York, later came ashore. She landed at East Cowes and went for a motor trip, returning to the Victoria and Albert shortly after tea, where she rejoined the King.

Visit to Osborne House. The King and Queen and the Duke and Duchess of York went ashore from the royal yacht Victoria and Albert for an afternoon visit to the Isle of Wight yesterday. They motored to Osborne House, the former residence of Queen Victoria, part of which is now a convalescent home for officers. It was the Duchess of York's first visit to Osborne.

The royal party visited the convalescent home and chatted for a time with some of the officers recuperating there, and afterwards motored to Carisbrook Castle for tea with Princess Beatrice, the King's aunt, who is Governor of the island.

### S'HAH CHINESE TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

SHANGHAI, Aug. 10.—The Chinese tennis championship, changed hands yesterday on the C.N.A.A.F. court, when C. C. Cheng lost to Y. T. Wong in five sets at 2-6, 7-5, 7-5, 6-8, 1-6. Wong's ascendancy did not come as a surprise, for he has been in splendid form since the season started. He began his tennis career as a ball-boy and later became a marker. He worked for the Columbia Country Club until last summer, when he resigned and was reinstated as an amateur.

Showing great confidence, Wong went off with a remarkable spirit, winning the opening set at 6-2. He swept Cheng off his feet, chiefly with a deceptive forehand drive. In the second and third sets Cheng was on top, winning both at 7-5.

Wong seemed to be exhausted, but in the fourth set he played a fine uphill battle and gained a lead of two games. Chen put up a desperate fight and won his service in the tenth game to tie the score at five-all. However, after another deadlock at six-all, Wong obtained the next game and then forced his opponent to throw away the set at 8-6. In the final set, the ex-holder yielded four games in succession to Wong, who played confidently and steadily. Cheng was rattled and seemed to know that defeat was inevitable. He won the fifth game but dropped the remaining two for the set and match.—N.C.D.N.

### ATTEMPT TO SWINDLE

#### TUNG WAH HOSPITAL FOUR CHINESE CHARGED

Four Chinese were charged before Mr. Schofield at Central Magistrate's court yesterday morning with conspiracy to swindle the Tung Wah Hospital.

The defendants were Wong Kwai Chi, Chan On, Hoi Kwang, Bai Chan and Chung Tak. All pleaded not guilty. Mr. J. F. X. D'Almeida appeared for the first defendant.

Hearing of the case was fixed for the afternoons of Aug. 22 and 23.

## IF SUSSEX HAD DULEEP!

### The Sutcliffe-Like Langridge

Something happened in cricket that had not happened for thirty-four years.

Walter Hammond and Dacre, the Gloucestershire batsmen, equalled what was a unique—yes, I mean unique—record.

By scoring a hundred each on top of their centuries in the first innings, they did what had only previously been done by W. L. Foster and the late R. E. Foster.

It took place at Worcester, and, oddly enough, it was at Worcester in 1899 that the Fosters got their hundreds in each innings against Hampshire.

Six centuries were scored in this Gloucestershire-Worcestershire match, and 1,300 runs were made for the loss of twenty-five wickets. Gloucestershire tried nine bowlers while Worcestershire were scoring 448. The result, as you have already guessed, was a draw.

Typical of Jardine. Surrey tried very hard to beat Yorkshire at Sheffield, but they lost by 62 runs. D. R. Jardine made 105—a typically determined, straight bat innings—but the almost inevitable Bows got him in the end.

Bows had five wickets for 73 runs, making him twelve in the game for just over eleven runs apiece. I wonder if Surrey would have won if Jack Hobbs had been playing!

The delightful Bowley and the rather Sutcliffe-like John Langridge made no bother about the 113 runs which Sussex needed to beat Kent at Tunbridge Wells. They got them in eighty minutes.

It was a fine ten wickets win, and if Sussex go on like this they assuredly will finish up second to Yorkshire. If they only had Duleepsinhji this season!

Worthington's Sixes. Notts were also among the winners. They beat Derbyshire at Ilkeston by 87 runs, despite the fact that Worthington, who was supposed to have appendicitis a week or two ago, scored 108 for Derbyshire. He was well enough to hit four 6's.

The Nawab of Pataudi made four more runs for M.C.C., who beat Cambridge University by seven wickets at Lord's, than he should have done in his 99 not out. A queer muddle happened at the end, play going on after the result was achieved, and five extra runs being scored. It appears that the umpires were waiting for a signal from the seers!

Oxford also lost, Leveson-Gower's XI. beating them by 34 runs at Eastbourne.

Northants had a very good win over Essex by seven wickets at Kettering. Essex are not keeping it up at present. But it was an exciting finish, Northants beating the clock with only four minutes of "extra time" remaining.

The Slow Lees. The Warwickshire v. Somerset, Hampshire v. Leicestershire, and Lancashire v. West Indies matches were drawn.

Between after lunch and tea time Somerset batted so slowly that they made only 45 runs, the two Lees being the culprits in face of nine Warwickshire bowlers.

Armstrong and Shipman made centuries for Leicestershire and G. C. Grant just missed one for the West Indies (94).—William Pollock in the Daily Express.

### LONDON'S ADVERTISING EXHIBITION

#### STALL TAKEN BY HONG KONG FIRM

An Advertising and Marketing Exhibition was held at Olympia, London, last month, at which the Advertising and Publicity Bureau of Hong Kong showed an attractive range of its activities.

Mrs. Beatrice Thomson, Managing Director of the Advertising and Publicity Bureau, Hong Kong, was personally present at the Exhibition and interviewed clients who are interested in extending their activities to the Far East, and we hear that she did good business.

The Hong Kong stall was tastefully decorated in scarlet with Chinese characters on the walls and furnished with blackwood Chinese furniture.

Their Majesties the King and Queen stopped at the stand and made a few remarks as to Hong Kong's enterprise at being represented at the Exhibition.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, spoke quite a long time at Mrs. Thomson's stand and seemed very interested.

One likes to hear that Hong Kong is still on the map and thanks are due to the enterprise of the A.P.B.

## CARNERA WILL DEFEND TITLE

### MATCH ARRANGED IN ROME

New York, Aug. 10. Primo Carnera will defend his world heavyweight title for the first time against Paulino Uzcudun at Rome October 8, his manager, Louis P. Sorelli, announced here to-day.

When the Italian departed for Europe after he had knocked out Jack Sharkey in the sixth round at the Madison Square Garden Long Island arena June 29 there was a general prediction that he would bask in his glory until next year before risking his crown.

But Sorelli's announcement brought the comment from sports followers here that the Man Mountain would be risking little against the Basque Woodchopper.

#### Carnera's Finances.

A fight in Rome may be expected to bring a great outpouring of black shirts to see the first Italian ever to win the world title perform. Incidentally it should replenish Carnera's coffers. Just before his fight with Sharkey he filed a bankruptcy petition listing his liabilities at \$39,828 and his assets at only \$1,182.

Uzcudun for some time has been ranking as a second rate, as in his invasion of the United States last year he was beaten by King Levinsky, Mickey Walker, and the late Ernie Schaaf, none of them topnotchers.

In his latest appearance, Uzcudun, now in Spain, won an unpopular decision over Hans Schönrath, of Germany, in a ten rounder at Seville and before that disposed of the aging Pierre Charles of Belgium.

#### Poor Opinion of Carnera.

Uzcudun is known however not to hold Carnera's prowess in great esteem. Commenting on Schaaf's tragic demise last winter after a fight with the Italian, Uzcudun said he never would believe Carnera responsible.

"He can't hit hard enough to do a thing like that," the Woodchopper was quoted. "Carnera throws his tremendous weight at his opponents. They don't feel his punches so much as they feel his great bulk."

Uzcudun has an explanation—"poison"—for his poor showing in the United States last year and his admirers think he may do better. He has repeatedly declared he was "doped" by someone when he lost to Walker and Schaaf.

#### SHIPPING MOVEMENT.

The R.M.S. Empress of Canada left Vancouver for Hong Kong, via Honolulu, Japan ports and Shanghai, on the morning of August 12, is due at Hong Kong on the morning of September 1, and will leave for Manila in the same evening.

"Man wanted for gardening," reads an advertisement in an American paper. "Also to take charge of a cow, who can sing in the choir and pump an organ." Which reminds us of the old advt. asking for "a strong horse to do the work of a country minister."—Capper's Weekly.

## VILLAGE NEAR S'HAH GUTTED

### 1,000 CHINESE HOMELESS IN POOTUNG

Shanghai, August 11.—Nearly a thousand poor Chinese are homeless as the result of a disastrous fire in Pootung yesterday, which, rapidly gaining hold, razed an entire village of straw huts to the ground. When the fire was at its height, it threatened neighbouring houses and the Okura Co.'s godown, but Municipal firemen, rushed to the spot in the Fireboat Poochi, soon got the flames under control, although for some time smoke continued to pour from the ruins.

Starting, it is believed, through carelessness on the part of one of the inhabitants of the village, the flames quickly spread from hut to hut shortly before two o'clock yesterday afternoon. The fire was observed from several watch-towers in the Central, Yangtzepoo, and Bubbling Well districts, and the Central Fire Station was informed. Two engines rushed to the Nanking Road Jetty, where those on board the Poochi already had steam well up.

It was thought at first that a godown had caught on fire, but on nearing the spot, pieces of burning straw and thatch told the story—another village on fire.

Refugees in Creek. The La Poo Creek and others near by were packed with sampans, crowded with villagers and their household goods, snatched from the flames. Here and there a woman's wail could be heard, deploring the loss of house and home. Not only was the actual village that was burning evacuated, but several others, dangerously near to the blaze, were hurriedly deserted.

The efforts of the unfortunate villagers to assist the firemen in their work frequently caused them to be in the way, despite the endeavours of one or two of the more level-headed among them to drive the crowd back out to allow the firemen free passage way.

Despite this, and with the help of a number of the River Police, who arrived soon after the fire broke out, the crowd was driven back, the flames were extinguished. Their place was taken by dense, yellow smoke, which poured from the glowing embers. Gas or smoke-masks were not needed, however, for thanks to the breeze, the firemen were able to work from the sides without being affected.—N.C.D.N.

### LUXURY COACHWORK FOR INDIA

Among the bodies recently completed by Hooper & Co., the well-known London coach-builders, and destined for Overseas is an enclosed limousine on a 40/50 H.P. Rolls-Royce chassis for H.H. Raja Khajha Peshad of Hyderabad, Deccan.

Another fine example of this firm's craftsmanship which has also gone to India recently, was the special open-touring body on a Rolls-Royce chassis to the order of H.H. the Prince of Kohapur.

Wife: "Before we were married you used to send round a dozen roses, every week."  
Husband: "Roses are easy. This week I'm going to send round two tons of coal and a joint of beef."—Answers.

## "A WOMAN COMMANDS"

### POLA NEGRI FILM AT CENTRAL

As exciting as has always been the lady herself, is the announcement that Pola Negri is returning to the screen in a new drama "A Woman Commands" coming to the Central Theatre to-morrow.

Voluntarily asking release from her contract at a time when she was the screen's most colourful and glamorous personality, Miss Negri retired to her chateau in France three years ago, determined to enjoy life among the delightful circle of friends she possesses there.

But, she declares, that leisure soon lost its savor. Something was missing. That something, this artist knew, was creative work.

In the meanwhile talking pictures had come into being, and Pola knew that for her to resume her career it would be necessary to perfect her command of English. This she did, through intensive training, until only a slight husky accent remained.

When she made a stage appearance in London a few months ago, critics declared that this hint of accent was, indeed, a new fascination in the always fascinating Pola.

Offered a contract with RKO Radio, Pola returned to America to begin work in "A Woman Commands" which was selected as her first story. Inspired by the life of one of the most colourful figures in modern European history, the late Queen Draga of Serbia, the story is said to offer Miss Negri dramatic opportunities greater than any vehicle in which she has appeared.

The importance which her producers attach to Miss Negri's return to the screen is indicated by the unusually brilliant cast which supports her. Basil Rathbone has the romantic lead, with Roland Young in another principal role. Others in the same cast are H. B. Warner, Reginald Owen, May Boley and Anthony Bushell.

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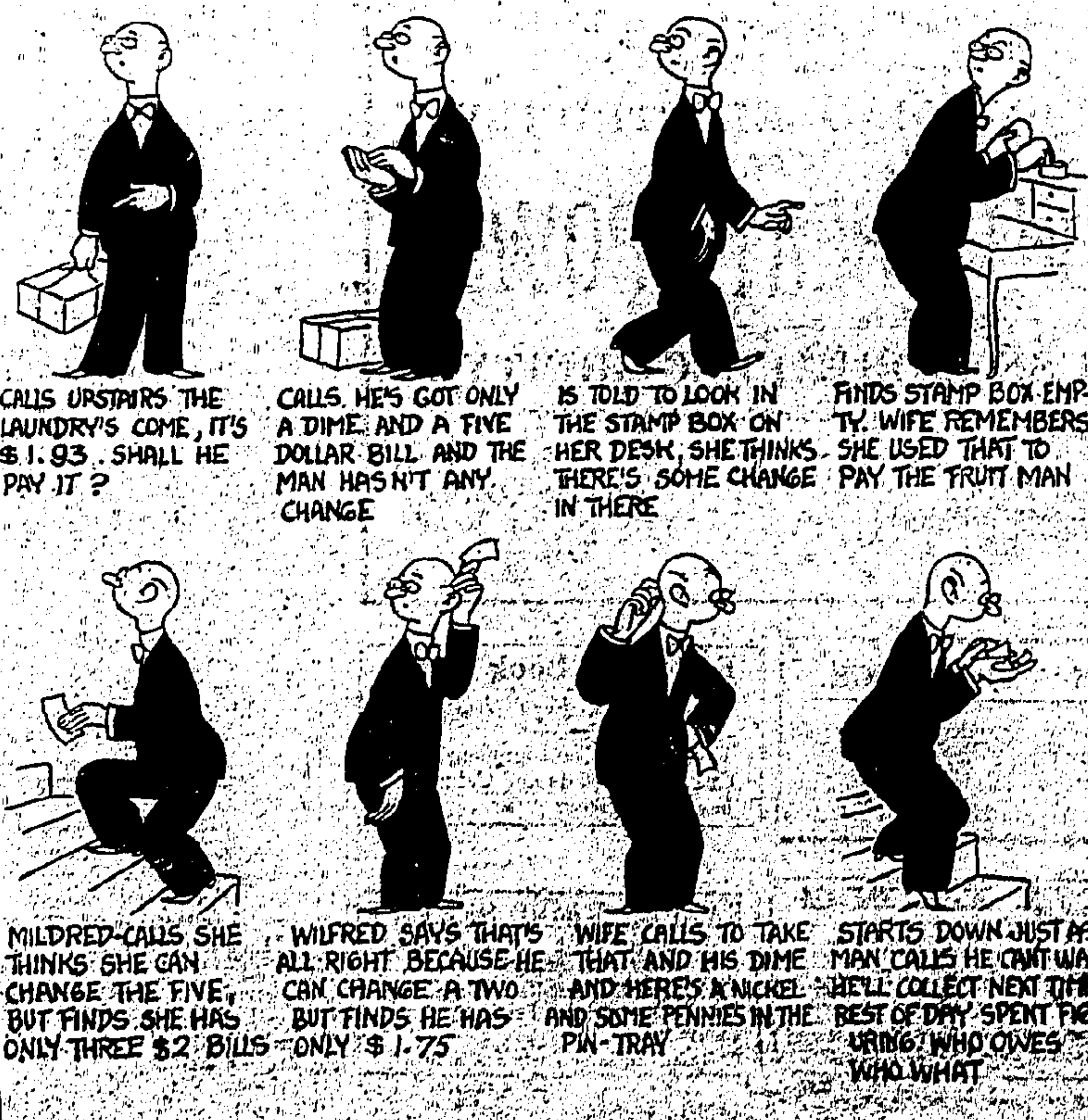
(Special Air-Mail Service)

London, July 25.—Sir Kingsley Wood, the Postmaster General, has prepared, in view of Monday's debate on the Post Office, a White Paper on the accounts of the Post Office for 1932-3. The figures are provisional, but the surplus is estimated at £10,792,000, the largest yet recorded.

The estimates are—  
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HOIHOW & HAIPHONG	"YINGHONG"	On 18th Aug. Noon
NINGPO, SHANGHAI, DALY & NEWHONGWANG	"CHINHUA"	On 18th Aug. 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SHANTUNG"	On 20th Aug. 3 p.m.
SWATOW & HANGKOW	"KAYING"	On 21st Aug. 4 p.m.
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SWATOW, FOCHOW, WENAIWANG, CHENGPO & TIENTSIN	"HOIHOW"	On 23rd Aug. 4 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 23rd Aug. 5 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KINGCHOW"	On 24th Aug. 3 p.m.
HOIHOW & HAIPHONG	"KINGYUAN"	On 24th Aug. Noon
SHANGHAI & NEWHONGWANG	"KWEITANG"	On 25th Aug. 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"TAMING"	On 27th Aug. 3 p.m.
SWATOW & HANGKOW	"KALSAN"	On 27th Aug. 4 p.m.
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## ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG

### NORTHWARD

#### FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

Amoy.	Taiwan, B. & S., August 18.
Kut Sang, Jardine's, August 17.	Wang Tung, B. & S., August 17.
Hai Ching, Douglas's, August 17.	Hai Ning, Douglas's, August 22.
Taiyuan, B. & S., August 23.	Takada, B.I. (Aper), August 24.
Ho Sang, Jardine's, Sept. 1.	
Chesoo.	Hunan, B. & S., August 18.
Yat Shing, Jardine's, August 18.	Hoi How, B. & S., August 21.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, August 23.	
Daily.	Chiu Hua, B. & S., August 18.
Sarpodon, B. & S., August 18.	Taming, B. & S., August 25.
Foochow.	Hupao, B. & S., August 18.
Hai Ching, Douglas's, August 18.	Yat Shing, Jardine's, August 18.
Hai Ning, Douglas's, August 22.	Hoi How, B. & S., August 24.
Hop Sang, Jardine's, August 23.	

### JAPAN (Direct)

Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., August 18.	Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.
Tantalus, B. & S., August 25.	Ho Sang, Jardine's, Sept. 1.

### Japan and Shanghai

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 16.	Tsutsu Maru, N.Y.K., August 16.
Kut Sang, Jardine's, August 17.	Lima Maru, N.Y.K., August 17.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., August 19.	Shantung, Gilman, August 21.
Lahn, Melchers', August 23.	Naldera, P. & O., August 24.
Takada, B.I. (Aper), August 24.	Empress of Asia, C.P.S., August 25.
Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, August 25.	Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, August 30.	Mercator, B. & S., September 1.
Africa, Manners', September 2.	Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 3.
Soudan, P. & O., September 5.	Corfu, P. & O., September 7.
Laomgdon, B. & S., September 7.	Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 8.
Diomed, B. & S., September 10.	Rhexenor, B. & S., September 11.

### Newchwang

Chiu Hua, B. & S., August 18.

Taming, B. & S., August 25.

Chiu Hua, B. & S., August 18.

Otaru.

Bangalore, P. & O., August 19.

Diomed, B. & S., September 10.

Pukow.

Agapenor, B. & S., August 28.

### SHANGHAI AND WAY PORTS

Chak Sang, Jardine's, August 16.	Teinan, B. & S., August 16.
Kwang Tung, B. & S., August 17.	Chiu Hua, B. & S., August 17.
Sarpodon, B. & S., August 18.	Foo Shing, Jardine's, August 20.
Shantung, B. & S., August 20.	Sinkiang, B. & S., August 22.
Kwai Sang, Jardine's, August 23.	Taiyuan, B. & S., August 23.
Kingchow, B. & S., August 24.	Lahn, Melchers', August 24.
Taming, B. & S., August 25.	Norviken, Jardine's, August 27.
Agapenor, B. & S., August 28.	Palstra, Manners', August 30.
Centra Verde, Dodwell's, September 3.	

### Swatow

Chak Sang, Jardine's, August 16.	Hunan, B. & S., August 18.
Hai Ching, Douglas's, August 18.	Hai Ning, Douglas's, August 18.
Muinam, Manners', August 18.	Yat Shing, Jardine's, August 18.
Foo Shing, Jardine's, August 20.	Hiram, Thoresen's, August 20.
Kaying, B. & S., August 20.	Shantung, B. & S., August 20.
Hai Ning, Douglas's, August 22.	Sinkiang, B. & S., August 22.
Kwai Sang, Jardine's, August 23.	Hoi How, B. & S., August 24.
Kingchow, B. & S., August 24.	Hellas, Thoresen's, August 27.
Norviken, Jardine's, August 27.	

### Taku

Sarpodon, B. & S., August 18.

### Tientsin

Hunan, B. & S., August 18.

Yat Shing, Jardine's, August 18.

Hoi How, B. & S., August 24.

Hop Sang, Jardine's, August 25.

### Taijiang

Chak Sang, Jardine's, August 16.

Foo Shing, Jardine's, August 20.

Shantung, B. & S., August 20.

Sinkiang, B. & S., August 22.

Kwai Sang, Jardine's, August 23.

Norviken, Jardine's, August 27.

### Wei Hai Wei

Hunan, B. & S., August 18.

Hoi How, B. & S., August 24.

### EASTWARD

#### FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND SOUTH AMERICA

Baltimore.	Laganbank, Bank Line, Sept. 2.
Adriatic, B. & S., September 7.	
Boston and New York.	Tai Ping, Dodwell's, August 17.
Javanese Prince, Furness, August 19.	Laganbank, Bank Line, Sept. 2.
Silversandal, Furness, September 2.	Adriatic, B. & S., September 7.
Hallux.	Javanese Prince, Furness, August 19.
Silversandal, Furness, September 2.	
Honojulu.	Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 16.
Tsutsu Maru, N.Y.K., August 16.	Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, August 30.	Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 8.

### Los Angeles

Tsutsu Maru, N.Y.K., August 16.	Tai Ping, Dodwell's, August 17.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.	Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 21.
Palstra, Manners', September 3.	

### Panama

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, August 17.

### Philadelphia

Adriatic, B. & S., September 7.

### Portland

Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 21.

### Puget Sound

Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 21.

### San Francisco

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 16.

Tsutsu Maru, N.Y.K., August 16.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, August 17.

Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.

Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 21.

Palstra, Manners', September 3.

### Seattle

Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, August 25.

Tantalus, B. & S., August 25.

Palstra, Manners', September 3.

### South America (W.O.)

Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.

### Vancouver, B.C.

Empress of Asia, C.P.S., August 25.

Tantalus, B. & S., August 25.

Palstra, Manners', September 3.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 8.

### Victoria, B.C.

Empress of Asia, C.P.S., August 25.

Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, August 25.

Tantalus, B. & S., August 25.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 8.

### SOUTHWARD

#### FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA

##### Australian Ports, East

Changte, B. & S., August 22.

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 26.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., September 2.

##### Batavia

Tjisdane, J.C.J. Line, August 22.

##### Bangkok

Binang, Manners', August 17.

Hai Hing, Thoresen's, August 18.

Muinam, Manners', August 18.

Hiram, Thoresen's, August 20.

Kwaiyang, B. & S., August 23.

Kaying, B. & S., August 23.

Hellas, Thoresen's, August 27.

##### Batavia

Javanese Prince, Furness, Aug. 18.

##### Belawan

Adriatic, B. & S., September 7.

##### Brisbane

Changte, B. & S., August 22.

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 26.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., September 2.

##### Cairns

Changte, B. & S., August 22.

##### Haiphong

Ying Chow, B. & S., August 18.

King Yuan, B. & S., August 25.

##### Hoihow

Ying Chow, B. & S., August 18.

King Yuan, B. & S., August 25.

Kwaiyang, B. & S., August 23.

##### Macassar

Javanese Prince, Furness, August 19.

Tjisdane, J.C.J. Line, August 22.

##### Manila

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., August 17.

Javanese Prince, Furness, August 19.

Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, August 19.

Changte, B. & S., August 22.

Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, August 22.

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 26.

Coblentz, Melchers', September 1.

Empress of Canada, C.P.R., Sept. 1.

Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, September 2.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., September 2.

Adriatic, B. & S., September 7.

Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 13.

##### Melbourne

Changte, B. & S., August 22.

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 26.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., September 2.

##### Rabaul



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CHICHIBU MARU	Wednesday, 10th Oct.	at 10 a.m.
TATSUTA MARU	Wednesday, 15th Oct.	at 10 a.m.

SEATTLE &amp; VANCOUVER.

HIKAWA MARU	(Starts from Kobe) Monday, 4th Sept.
HIYO MARU	(Starts from Kobe) Monday, 18th Sept.

LONDON, MARSILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM

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TERUKUNI MARU	Friday, 18th Aug.
IAKUSAN MARU	Saturday, 2nd Sept.
HARUNA MARU	Saturday, 16th Sept.

SYDNEY &amp; MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.

KITANO MARU	Saturday, 26th Aug.
ATSUTA MARU	Saturday, 23rd Sept.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

CALCUTTA MARU	Tuesday, 29th Aug.
MALACCA MARU	Monday, 11th Sept.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

BOKUYO MARU	Monday, 26th Sept.
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LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa and Valencia.

LYONS MARU	Friday, 15th Sept.
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CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

GENOA MARU	Tuesday, 29th Aug.
TOKUSHIMA MARU	Friday, 9th Sept.

SHANGHAI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA.

ATSUTA MARU (Nagasaki direct)	Thursday, 17th Aug.
KATORI MARU	Friday, 18th Aug.
TAUGO MARU	Tuesday, 29th Aug.

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D'ARTAGNAN	24th Oct.
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## Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships in Harbour, etc.

## YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 16,340 TONS;  
THROUGH CARGO  
18,000 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

Cargo for Through H.K. Ports.

British.

Hunan, Swatow 654

Hai Yang, Foochow 150

Borneo, Hoikow 25

American.

City of Elwood, Manila 459

Danish.

Muniam, Bangkok 2,185

Dutch.

Tjissondari, Shanghai 85

Tjikembang, Manila 6,688

Cremar, Singapore 931

Norwegian.

Tai Yin, Hoikow 800

Tai Ping, Manila 100

Syder Sagen, Chinwangtao 984

Hermod, Bangkok 2,100

Portuguese.

Ou Chao, K. C. Wan 230

Italian.

Conte Russo, 120

Chinese.

Tehekm, Hoikow 800

Cheung On, Shanmei 58

Total 16,340

18,000

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Hunan (British), Swatow	24
Hai Yang (British), Foochow	301
Borneo (British), Hoikow	57
Muniam (Danish), Bangkok	55
Cremar (Dutch), Singapore	680
Cheung On (Chinese), Shanmei	51
Total	1,500

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

British	4	13
America	1	1
Danish	1	0
Dutch	3	0
Norwegian	4	2
German	0	1
Portuguese	1	1
Italian	1	0
Japanese	0	1
Chinese	2	1
Total	17	20

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant ships were in harbour yesterday:—

Wharves.

Kowloon—President Coolidge.

Mirzapore, Andre Lebon.

Hoi's—Menestheus.

A.P.C.—Taikoku.

City of Elwood and Syder Sagen.

Jardine Matheson's—Fooning.

Douglas Lapraik—Haiyang.

Docks.

Kowloon—Graciosa and Skuld.

Taikoku—Hoi, Sui, Hydrangea.

Japanese Prince, Maple Leaf, Hin Sang.

Buoys.

No. A1—Akito.

No. A2—Tai Ping.

No. A3—Cremar.

No. A4—Barge.

No. A5—Hilder Moller.

No. A6—Taka Maru.

No. A7—Changte.

No. A8—Tjissondari.

No. A9—Solovken.

No. A10—Kejo Maru.

No. A11—Tjikembang.

No. A12—Anhui.

No. B1—Shanchih.

No. B2—Promiss.

No. B3—Muniam.

No. B4—Tonkin.

No. B5—Fingal.

No. B6—Anchor.

No. B7—Socow.

No. B8—Kaying.

No. B9—Hiram.

No. B10—Sagres.

No. B11—Bintang.

No. B12—Kwangtung.

No. B13—Tianan.

No. C1—Hydra II.

No. C2—Halvard.

No. C3—Hermod.

No. C4—Hirashi Maru.

## VESSELS DUE

Achilles, B. &amp; S., October 8.

Africa, Manners, September 2.

Agapenor, B. &amp; S., August 28.

Aramis, Messageries, August 20.

Asama Maru, N.Y.K., August 21.

Atania Maru, N.Y.K., August 17.

Bangalore, P. &amp; O., August 18.

Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., August 20.

Benvortich, Gibb's, August 19.

Bochum, Jobson, August 16.

Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., September 8.

Burdwan, P. &amp; O., October 3.

Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., August 28.

City of Corinth, Bank Line, Sept. 27.

Coblentz, Melchers, September 1.

Conte Verde, Doddwell's, September 3.

Corfu, P. &amp; O., September 6.

Dannmark, Manners, September 30.

Diomed, B. &amp; S., September 10.

Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., August 17.

Empress of Canada, C.P.S., Sept. 1.

Empress of Japan, C.P.S., Sept. 29.

Empress of Russia, C.P.S., Sept. 13.

Falstina, Manners, September 3.

Felix Rousseau, Messageries, Aug. 29.

Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., August 28.

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., August 15.

Katori Maru, N.Y.K., August 19.

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.

Lahri, Melchers, August 25.

Laomedon, B. &amp; S., September 7.

Lissa Maru, N.Y.K., August 19.

Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 18.

Lyons Maru, N.Y.K., September 20.

Mannion, B. &amp; S., September 20.

Marion, B. &amp; S., September 1.

Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., August 17.

Naldora, P. &amp; O., August 23.

Nankin, E. &amp; A. S.S. Co., Sept. 2.

Pacifica, B. &amp; S., September 15.

Pang Maru, N.Y.K., August 26.

Pres. Garfield, Dollar's, Sept. 1.

Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, August 18.

Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, Sept. 18.

Pres. McKinley, Dollar's, August 21.

Pres. Van Buren, Dollar's, August 18.

Protesilaus, B. &amp; S., September 27.

Rawalpindi, P. &amp; O., October 4.

Rhenor, B. &amp; S., September 11.

Santia, B.I. (Apar), August 13.

Sardapan, B. &amp; S., August 18.

Silvermound, Furness, Sept. 2.

Sirdhana, B.I. (Apar), Sept. 3.

Soudan, P. &amp; O., September 4.

Sungshan Maru, N.Y.K., August 28.

Tai Ping, B. &amp; S., Sept. 12.

Taiping, Doddwell's, August 17.

Takada, B.I. (Apar), August 22.

Tanda, E. &amp; A. S.S. Co., August 30.

Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 29.

Tangan Maru, N.Y.K., August 23.

Tantulus, B. &amp; S., August 16.

Terakuni Maru, N.Y.K., August 17.

Tilawa, B.I. (Apar), August 17.

Tokushima Maru, N.Y.K., Sept. 7.

Trave, Melchers, September 6.

Tyndarus, B. &amp; S., September 6.

Yingchow, B. &amp; S., August 16.

## ARRIVALS

August 15.

Andre Lebon, Faench str., 7,375 tons, Capt. Saccione, from Saigon, Kowloon Wharf.—M.M.

Cremar, Dutch str., 2,765 tons, Capt. Meppelink, from Singapore, buoy No. A3.—J.C.J.L.

Huashan Maru, Japanese str., 1,283 tons, Capt. Y. Takayama, from Canton, Stonecutters' Anchorage.—N.Y.K.

Knapoi, British str., 1,246 tons, Capt. R. C. Creer, from Shanghai, Yumai Anchorage.—Williamson &amp; Co.

Menestheus, British str., 4,646 tons, Capt. Dodd, from Shanghai, Hoikow Wharf.—B. &amp; S.

Mirzapore, British str., 4,134 tons, Capt. J. A. Smith, from Shanghai.—M.M. &amp; Co.

Solvik, Norwegian str., 1,435 tons, Capt. Hesch, from Singapore, buoy No. A10.—Jobson &amp; Co.

Svale, British str., 1,334 tons, Capt. G. H. Wilkins, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas &amp; Co.

Tjikembang, Dutch str., 5,028 tons, Capt. P. Meeran, from Manila, buoy No. A12.—J.C.J.L.

August 14.

Bochum, German str., 3,775 tons, Capt. Windhorst, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—Jobson &amp; Co.

Tai Ping, Norwegian str., 3,817 tons, Capt. J. A. Jensen, from Manila buoy No. A2.—Doddwell &amp; Co.

## CLEARANCES

August 15.

Andre Lebon, for Shanghai.

Bochum, for Moji.

City of Elwood, for Shanghai.

Foo Lee, for Canton.

Hai Yang, for Swatow.

Halvard, for Hongay.

Hilda Moller, for Amoy.

Hirashi Maru, for Keelung.

Huashan Maru, for Shanghai.

Kwayo Maru, for Hongay.

Manestheus, for Singapore.

Mirzapore, for Singapore.

Prominent, for Samarinda.

Socow, for Tsingtao.

Tai Yin, for Shanghai.

Tin Song, for K. C. Wan.

Toskani, for Haiphong.

Tjissondari, for Munko.

## ROYAL YACHT AT SOUTHAMPTON

## NEW GRAVING DOCK OPENED BY THE KING

(Special Air-Mail Service)

Southampton, August 1st.—Floating flowers whirled round the Royal yacht Victoria and Albert when she brought the King into the new graving dock today.

As the Royal yacht steamed in her bow broke a ribbon of red, white and blue: the largest dock of its kind in the world was open.

The Queen, with the Duke and Duchess of York, were in the Victoria and Albert with the King.

For hours, the crowds had been waiting for the first glimpse of the Royal yacht. Five thousand people were in grandstands along the dock wall: 1000 children were on the decks of the line of Empress of Britain.

And as they waited, massed choirs sang sea shanties, the strains of which were carried afar by loud speakers.

It was shortly before noon when we first saw the black and gold bow of the Victoria and Albert come into view round a bend of the River Test. The Royal Standard fluttered at the head of the mainmast.

Airplanes circled overhead, flags waved, bands played, and the crowd cheered.

Slowly the Victoria and Albert came to the entrance of the dock, and as she broke the ribbon, the King stood on the bridge while the crew manned ship. More cheers.

Flowers and wreaths, six and ten feet in diameter, floated on the water of the dock. The Royal Arms adorned the dock-head, drawing the special interest of the Queen.

The Royal yacht was safely berthed. Then the King led the way down to the dock.

A gangway was lowered, and to the tune of "Her Majesty's Salute" the King, wearing the uniform of Admiral of the Fleet, stepped ashore.

The Queen wore a dress of deep cream lace with a toque of amethyst blue silk.

Preferred to Walk.

Motocars had been provided to take the Royal party along the dock wall to the dais; but they preferred to walk.



